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CURLING NOTES

THE ASH CUP.

Two rinks went to Lacombe Friday night and played for the Ash Cup, a cup put up by the Caledonian Curling Club, Northern Alberta, similar to the Wiser Cup of Southern Alberta. Our boys defeated Lacombe and brought the cup to Red Deer, after Lacombe had six wins to their credit. The teams competing were as follows:

Red Deer—	Lacombe—
Gibbs,	Chisholm
Lindsay	Morrison
Bonnick	Hay
Fulton, skip, 14	Jackson, sk., 9
Johns	Price
Fowler	Morrison
Marshall	Garland
Coote, skip, 9	Trimble, sk., 12

Red Deer won by two points.

The first game for the Ash Cup was played by Red Deer skips Coote and Fulton Monday night, against Fort Saskatchewan teams. Red Deer won out by the handsome margin of 15 points.

The Red Deer teams were: Gibbs, Lindsay, Bonnick, and Fulton, skip. Johns, Fowler, Wellfver and Coote, skip.

The score was:

Fulton, 21; Staples, 8.
Coote, 16; Atkinson, 14.

The home team winnig by 15 points.

RED DEER HOLDS WISER CUP.

Exciting Game on Friday Afternoon Last With Medicine Hat.

One of the keenest and hardest fought games for the Wiser cup in Red Deer's history, took place on Friday afternoon last, when Red Deer rinks, captained by J. M. Campbell and R. B. Wellfver successfully defended it against the assault of skips W. H. Salt and Mayor Brown, of Medicine Hat. Campbell beat Pringle by four points, and Brown defeated Wellfver by 2 points, Red Deer nosing out by two points. Every end was a struggle and no one could be sure how the game was going to end until the last rock was fired. Brown had to get a three end to tie and he had it until Wellfver fired his last rock. Had Wellfver missed, it would have lost the game.

The personnel of the rinks was:

Medicine Hat—A. W. Lang, H. Pringle, H. Pringle, W. H. Salt, skip.

Red Deer—W. K. Wickens, E. A. Bonnick, L. Marshall, J. M. Campbell, skip.

Medicine Hat—J. Bishop, R. A. Porter, W. E. Bray, M. A. Brown, skip.

Red Deer—R. Munro, E. L. Beckett, P. E. Graham, and R. B Wellfver, skip.

The score by ends:

Wellfver	203	000	300	513	000	0			
Brown	030	522	011	000	112	1			
Campbell	300	012	300	101	110	2			
Salt	011	200	061	010	002	0			

Castor was to have played Monday night, but failed to put in an appearance.

SPECIAL RAILWAY FARE TO EDMONTON.

A rate of fare and one third will be in force for the Edmonton Spring Live Stock Show, good leaving here on March 31st up to April 4th, and good returning up to April 7th. A good many have made arrangements to take in this event, which always attracts lovers of good live stock, but will this year have many other drawing features. In addition to the showing of horses, ponies, sheep, swine and fat stock, the Calf Feeding Competition for children will this year have more entries than ever. To provide variety on the programme there will be a parade of decorated automobiles one night, another evening a fancy dress carnival ride will be put on by ladies and gentlemen competing for prizes, the Mendelssohn Choir, 100 voices strong, will give choruses on two evenings, football matches are being arranged for, an exhibition of riding and roping will be given by genuine cowboys. The Rotary Club Quartette and the Martin children will sing, and there will be other features interspersed with the judging of the carriage and saddle horses, ponies and jumpers. The Edmonton Live Stock Show will this year be officially opened on Tuesday evening, April 1, by Miss E. Cora Hind, of Winnipeg, who is such an authority on crop and live stock matters that her reports are accepted everywhere in North America.

BIRTHS.

At the Scottish Nursing Home, Calgary, on Friday, February 28, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Horton, a son.

At the Memorial Hospital, on Friday, March 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. P. Gordon, a son.

DEATHS.

HAYWARD.—The death occurred on Saturday, March 22nd., of Elizabeth Mae Hayward, beloved wife of Albert Hayward, C.P.R. Locomotive foreman, Red Deer. The deceased leaves to mourn her death a loving husband and a little daughter, aged three. A short service was held at the chapel of the Jacques-Orme Funeral Home on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m., conducted by the Rev. W. G. Brown, after which the remains were forwarded on the evening train to Selkirk, Man., for interment in the family plot.

HONORING A GOOD CITIZEN.

A number of Masonic brethren and other friends met at the residence of Frank Pettepher on Thursday evening of last week to show him in a tangible way their high regard for him as a citizen and as a friend. During the evening Mr. Pettepher was presented with a beautiful meerschaum pipe by R. L. Gaetz, accompanied by a few remarks as to the high esteem in which he was held by all present. Mayor W. E. Lord was also present and added his testimony to the good qualities of the guest of the evening, both in heart and hand. Ald. Moyes helped with a song, and C. W. Hamilton also sang and gave some his local comic sketches, for which he is famous. At the close the company sang "For he's a jolly good fellow," and the hearty way they sang it caused Frank's lips to quiver.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettepher are going to Wisconsin, where Mr. Pettepher's mother is still living, and after a visit there they will move to Spokane, where they will make their home, if the climate agrees with Mrs. Pettepher's health, as she has not been very well lately, and it is necessary for her to live in a lower altitude, the removal from Red Deer being due to that cause.

The News regrets Mr. and Mrs. Pettepher's removal from Red Deer, as they are the kind of people we want to keep here. Mr. Pettepher has been on his beam ends several times and owed thousands of dollars to his men, but he always came right out and paid the last farthing he owed to anybody. Good luck go with him and his estimable wife.

LOCHEARN L.I.D. 401

The second meeting of the Council of the Municipal district of Lochearn No. 401, was held in the McKinnon's Hall, Leslieville, on March 22nd, 1919.

Councillors present were Reeve Wm. Ellenburgh, Coun. McKinnon, Sande, Rolfson, Knight, Saarl.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and discussed.

Motion by Ellenburgh that the Council be formed into a repatriation committee, and each councillor have power to appoint a citizen of his division to assist him in carrying out the work of the National Repatriation committee.

Motion by McKinnon that the letter of the Rocky Mountain House Agricultural Society be tabled until the next meeting of the council.

Motion by Ellenburgh that all bills for schools and hall use for election purposes be paid and the amount be $4.00 in each case.

Motion by Ellenburgh that Mr. McCallum be presented with $60.00, in appreciation for honorary services rendered.

Motion by McKinnon that the rate of taxation be set at 10 cents per acre.

Motion by McKinnon that the rate of pay be set at 70 cents per hour for men and teams, and 35 cents for single man, and the ratepayer be allowed to work out the proportion of $14.00 of the $16.00.

Mr. E. Pepper was elected as official auditor for the year.

Motion by McKinnon that the salary of the Sec.-Treas. be set at $700, and it shall be a part of his duties to make a correct voters' list before the end of the year.

Mr. Robert McCallum was elected Sec.-Treas. for the year. Duties to commence as soon as the books can be audited.

Motion by Sande that Councillor Knight be allowed to buy two wheel scrapers and three slips, Councillor Saarl, three slips and a plow, Councillor Rolfson two slips, Reeve Ellenburgh a wheel scraper.

The sec.-treas. was instructed to write the department asking for a survey on the following roads: Between Section 3 and 9-40-5, also along the west side of 9-40-4, also west between section 17-404, and the Bluebell school.

Motion by Knight that the bills and pay sheets be passed and ordered paid.

T. W. ENSIGN, Sec.-Treas.

If you have land for sale call or write the J. Malcolm Co., Red Deer.

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James Bowers, who has been visiting at the coast has returned home.

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Mrs. Law spent the week end in Calgary visiting friends.

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W. Bawtinheimer was up from Calgary, visiting friends on Monday.

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Come to the Parish Hall on Saturday for your meats, pies, jellies and cakes.

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Mrs. W. T. London, of Craigmyle, Alta, is visiting Mrs. John McMillan for a week or ten days.

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Lieut. Haywood, Mrs. Wilton, the Misses Black, Griffith, Tigerstadt and Curr, are in attendance at the Young People's Councils being held in Edmonton and conducted by Commissioner and Mrs. Sowton, of the Salvation Army this week.

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The W.A. of St. Luke's Church will hold a tea cent tea and sale of homemade cooking in the Parish Hall on Saturday, March 29th. Anyone wishing to bring guests may reserve a table by telephoning the conveners, Mrs. Gamble and Mrs. Hepworth.

THIS AND THAT

There cannot be too much regulation of Chinese restaurants. They are not regulated enough. No white woman should be allowed to be connected with them.——Whiskey sales in Victoria, B.C., jumped from $1,500 in February, 1918, to $12,000 in February, 1919. Quite a jump.——Hurrah! More new buildings in sight, and already Red Deer is on the clean scoot to prosperity.——Winnipeg Veterans demand that Bolshevik sympathizers be treated as dangerous enemies of our country, and a menace to life, and that they be deported. Good. Go to it, boys, there are a lot of us with you.——Canada's beef opportunity. Britain imposes Veterans demand that Bolshevik sympathizers be treated as dangerous enemies of our country, and a menace to life, and that they be deported. Good. Go to it, boys, there are a lot of us with you.——Canada's beef opportunity. Britain imposes 1,077,154,000 pounds of beef every year, but Canada only ships to Britain 29,680,000 pounds of beef. There is room for Canada to increase her beef trade forty times. Lots of room for development.——Brownie is dead. He was only a dog, but he was a good dog. For fourteen years he was a faithful friend and protector of Mr. and Mrs. Thorn. Peace to his ashes.——An orchestra is needed in Red Deer, as considerable money would be kept in the city if such an organization was formed which now goes to outside points.——Taxes are coming in fairly well. C. T. Eline was the first man to pay up his taxes for 1919.——The Overseas Club is approaching its members in all parts of the world to co-operate in lighting the world with a chain of bonfires on peace night.——The beautiful spring weather of Friday, Saturday and Sunday pretty nearly took off all the snow, and spring is here.——The watering cart will soon be needed.——The curiers are too busy to have their annual meeting tonight. They will meet next Wednesday evening, April 2nd.——A former bachelor rector of the Episcopal Church, not far from Red Deer was visiting his friend, Miss Jones. There he met Miss Mabel, the "enfante terrible" of the family, aged six. The following morning they were at church and Miss Mabel was shocked. She leaned over to Miss Jones and was heard to say, in an audible whisper, "Miss Jones, there is Mr. Blank in his nighty gown."——

DEATH OF MRS. GEO. A. McKAY.

The death occurred at Riversdale on Sunday of Mrs. McKay, wife of George A. McKay, aged 27 years and 7 months. Death was due to double pneumonia following an attack of influenza. In her immediate family she is survived by her husband and two small children.

She is also survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Wallace, of Red Deer, formerly of Trure; two sisters, Mrs. E Hamilton, Truro, and Mrs. G. Wiseman, Red Deer; and four brothers, Charles, overseas; David and William, at Red Deer, and Walter, of Truro.

James Cruickshank has purchased the Henry Dennison homestead in Balmoral.

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Mrs. J. K. Yeats, of Chinook, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. M. England.

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We require listings of farm lands. Call or write the J. Malcolm Co., Red Deer.

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A. H. Hepworth is home again after several weeks visit to coast centres.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jacques spent the week end in Calgary with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jacques.

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We understand that cream took a rise of several cents this week. This means a higher price for butter.

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The Beverly Entertainers tomorrow night.

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W. A. Cassels sold his quarter section in Springvale, N.E. 26-37-27, to J. Comfort last week at a fair figure.

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The annual meeting of the Curling Club has been postponed to Wednesday evening, April 2nd.

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Listings of improved and unimproved farm lands wanted. Call or write to J. Malcolm Co., Red Deer.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. Belize, of Red Deer, left Monday on their honeymoon for Chilliwack, Vancouver and other points.

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Heavy on the drums Easter Monday at the Parish Hall, when a grand dance will be held. A good night's pleasure is promised.

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Alfred Pointer left a few days ago for the Old Country, where he will rejoin his family. He expects to be back in Alberta.

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Olla and Loretta Hammond returned from Hamilton, Ont., this week, after enjoying an extended trip to friends at that place.

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Easter Monday the Parish Hall committee are putting on a grand dance, with a full three piece orchestra with drums. Keep the date open.

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Thos. Hoskin, of Willowdale, one of the pioneer farmers of the district, having sold his farm, will move into Red Deer to reside. He has rented one of Wm. Piper's houses at the south end of the city.

OUR RETURNING VETERANS

Q.M.S. J. S. Pullen and bride returned from overseas Wednesday last. He joined up with the 12th C.M.R. and was transferred to the 2nd C.M.R. In England he met his old sweetheart of twelve years standing, and when the war was over they were married and they have now returned to Canada to make this their home. We welcome the bride to the land of the Maple Leaf.

Pte. George Cruickshank and wife arrived in the city on Thursday night and have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. P. Gee, and other friends. George has just returned from overseas.

Lieut. Norman Hamley, of the Royal Air Force, returned to Red Deer on Wednesday last. He has been visiting at Oshawa, Ont., for a few weeks. He won the Italian Medal for distinguished service on the Italian frontier, and was wounded in one of the engagements.

Gunner Douglas Simpson returned from overseas on Wednesday. He was looking quite well and has grown quite husky. He and N. Hamley were met by a number of friends who were glad to see them return and gave them hearty cheers.

Gunner W. J. Botterill, Pte. Arnold Brooks, and Sergt.-Major Harvey came in on Monday evening's train. W. J. Botterill was formerly a Lieut. with the 187th, but as the battalion was not complete, could not get over with that unit. He then joined up with the artillery, and had the satisfaction of being in action with his brigade when the last gun was fired. Pte. Brooks formerly worked with T. A. Gaetz, and joined up with the 187th. He was transferred to the 50th Batt., Col. Page's battalion, and saw some hard fighting. Sergt.-Major Harvey reverted to go over to France and was with Col. Robinson and the Forresters. He was in the thick of the March fight, when the Germans nearly captured their whole outfit. He returned a short time ago, and is awaiting the return of Col. Robinson, who is expected any day, to decide what shall be done with the colors of the 187th battalion.

Corp. Percy Smith came in on Sunday evening from overseas, and was given a grand reception by a large crowd of his numerous friends. He joined up with the 12th C.M.R.'s, and was transferred to the 2nd C.M.R.'s and saw a great deal of hard fighting. Ex-mayor and Mrs. Smith had a glorious family re-union on Sunday night, when the entire family was present. Mrs. LaFrance came up from Acme, accompanied by Miss Gertie, and Clare came in from Castor, where he is teaching, for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were very happy, and they have just cause for pride in their splendid boys, who have done their bit for the good cause, and who have now both received their discharge.

THREE AGRICULTURAL SCHOOLS LOCATED.

It was announced in the legislature this week by the Hon. Duncan Marshall, that three new schools of agriculture would be in operation by next fall, located at Raymond, Gleichen and Youngstown.

CHILD WELFARE INSTITUTE.

Monday, March 31.—
8.00 p.m., Opening Address by the Mayor.
8.10 p.m., Music, ... Orchestra.
8.20 p.m.—What the community owes to its children, Miss Goudie.
8.45 p.m., Music Quartet.
8.55 p.m., Child Welfare as a National Issue, Rev. E. S. Bishop.
Tuesday, April 1st.—
3.00 p.m., Remarks by chairman, G. W. Smith.
3.10 p.m., The Problem of a pure milk supply, Mr. Sparks.
3.30 p.m., Music, solo Mrs. Coote
3.40 p.m., The Care of the Teeth and the Health of the Child, Dr. McCrostie.
4.00 p.m., Music, solo.
4.10 p.m., Venereal Diseases and Child Life, Dr. Parsons.
4.40 p.m., Discussion and Demonstration of Exhibit.
Evening.—
8.00 p.m., Remarks by chairman, Rev. Gordon Matthews.
8.10 p.m., Music, orchestra.
8.20 p.m., The Co-operation of the home and the school., C. D. Locke.
8.40 p.m., Music, Quartet.
8.50 p.m., The Co-operation of the Community in Boys' Work, A. L. Marks.
9.15 p.m., Address, Mr. Hull.

A meeting of the Soldiers' Wives' Club will be held on Tuesday next, April 1st, at Mrs. Sinclair's, the Armories, at 8 o'clock.

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The Women's Institute are having a ten cent tea in the Tea Room on Saturday, March 29th. The ladies in charge will be Mrs. G. W. Smith and Mrs. E. G. Johns.

FOR SALE.—Two choice lots in Waskaoo. What offers?— Apply to ABC., News Office. Mar.26-1

PENHOLD NOTES

The Women's Institute will meet on Thursday, March 27, at the room over the Co-operative Store.

On Friday, March 28th, a concert, including a humorous play entitled "Hans von Smash," performed by the young people of Fairlands, will be given in the MacKenzie's Hall, followed by a box social and dance. Admission, adults 35c, children 20c. Proceeds for Penhold Memorial Hall.

An address will be given by the Rev. Hollingsworth, of Lacombe, in the Ridgewood Church on Friday evening, March 28th.

Bob Murray returned last week from Vancouver, where he has spent the winter.

We hear that Jack Leithead has bought out the livery business from Frank Eastman.

Service next Sunday will be in the Presbyterian Church at 11 a.m., followed by Sunday school and at 7.30 p.m., at Ridgewood at 3 p.m.

In the Anglican church, Sunday school at 11 a.m., and evening service at 3 p.m.

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LORD SHAUGHNESSY SAYS LABOR UNREST CAUSE OF ANXIETY.

Speaking at the Canadian Pacific Railway banquet on Saturday at Montreal, Lord Shaughnessy referred to labor conditions in the old country, saying that unrest of labor there was a cause of anxiety. It was something more than a question of hours and pay.

The workingmen of the future, the workingmen of today, must be permitted and assisted to lead quite a different existence from that of the past. They must have the opportunity to enjoy the good things of life that those in higher positions have enjoyed.

His lordship concluded with an appeal for co-operation.

RIDGEWOOD.

Arrangements are under way for the holding of a box social and entertainment in the Ridgewood Church on Friday evening, the 28th inst, proceeds to go towards the building of a shed at the church. The necessity for such a building to accommodate the horses on Sundays has been a long felt want, and we earnestly request all those interested to lend their support on this occasion. The entertainment committee are busy preparing a program of songs and recitations, while Mr. Hollingsworth, who made such a hit with his rousing speech here last winter will again be on hand for an address. The ladies are asked to kindly provide boxes. Make your plans to take in Ridgewood on Friday evening, the 28th. A good time is assured. Concert starts at 8.30 prompt.

T. W. Mayberry and sons are busy loading a car of seed oats this week for farmers in the south.

Mrs. Jas. Martin, who has been spending the past couple of months in B.C., returned home on Thursday.

The annual congregational meeting of the church was held on Tuesday evening. Despite unfavorable weather a good crowd turned out and showed much enthusiasm for boosting along an advanced movement of the work. The newly elected managers are Mrs. Mayberry, Miss L. Martin, Mrs. A. M. Martin, jr., Mr. M. J. McDonald, Mr. Jno. Bickley and Mr. H. Bradkie. The ladies very generously provided cake and coffee, adding much to the sociability of the meeting, which was most successful from every standpoint.

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In stock, sulkies, gangs, pony tractor plows, manure spreaders, cultipackers, McLaughlin buggies, DeLaval cream separators, fanning mills, disc harrows, etc. Call in and look our machinery over. We will be pleased to give you a price.—Wm. Hammond, agent.

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If any of the teachers of country schools whose pupils intend entering for the bird-house competition—for which there are good prizes given by the Women's Institute—will correspond with Mrs. Cassels, she will be glad to give any information she can on the subject. Box 123, Red Deer.

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H. F. Cox, the new manager of the Imperial Bank at Rocky Mountain House has a good word to say of Red Deer. He contends that of all the cities and towns he has visited the past two years, there is not a place that can compare with Red Deer, either in scenery or as a place to live in. He contends our city is cleaner and looks more wholesome to him than any place in the west.

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A meeting was held on Sunday at the Armouries to discuss the question of re-organizing the band. The veterans are greatly interested in the matter, and it was decided to form a band to be called the Red Deer V. and C. band. Gus. Dahl, a returned veteran, was appointed temporary head, and a strong effort will be made to complete organization as soon as possible. Mr. Welton, owing to his other duties, was unable to take the leadership, and an effort will be made to get a first-class leader who can instruct the players in their parts. Red Deer should have a band, and we wish the organization every success.

VETERANS' MASQUERADE BALL

The Masquerade Ball which was held in the Armouries on Friday, March 21st, under the auspices of the C.W.V.A., was a decided success. The Hall was beautifully decorated and lighted for the occasion by the Veterans in a very tasteful manner, and the music was all that could be desired. The costumes, which were mostly supplied by Shaw & Co., Edmonton, were indeed pretty. The prizes were awarded to the following: Ladies, Mrs. Bean, Mrs. Alford. Miss Blakely. Gentlemen, Mr. England, Mr. Teasdale, and Mr. C. Row, the latter looking very charming and girlish as a Red Cross Nurse. The judges' decision was a popular one with the crowd. The antics of a certain "colored gentleman" was much enjoyed, and the presence of a justly famous "Roman warrior" added dignity to the occasion. The refreshments were ably served by the Soldiers' Wives and enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lord, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wellfver, and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stone, graciously consented to act as judges for costumes.

CHURCH NOTICES

St. Luke's Church services for 4th Sunday in Lent: 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Matins; 2.30 p.m., Sunday School; 7.30 p.m., Evensong. Service on Wednesday evening at 7.45. Choir practice on Wednesday at 8.30 p.m.; teacher training class at Rectory on Friday at 7.45.

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A warm welcome is extended to you to attend the meetings of the Salvation Army. Sunday services: Sunday school at 11 a.m., Praise meeting 3 p.m., Salvation service at 7.30 p.m., also Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays at 8 p.m. Bright and helpful services.

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Knox Church, March 30th. Services of special interest will be held next Sunday, when special preachers for the day will be in charge. At the morning worship the Rev. J. S. Shortt, M.A., of Olds, and in the evening the Rev. E. S. Bishop, B.A., of Edmonton. Sabbath school and Bible Class at 3 o'clock.

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Leonard Gaetz Memorial Methodist Church, Sunday services.—Rev. Edward S. Bishop, Secretary of Child Welfare, will preach at the morning service. Rev. G. D. Armstrong will preach at 7.30 p.m., subject, "The Church and Amusements." Visitors are heartily welcomed at all services.

GREAT RECEPTION GIVEN THE 49th.

The 49th, "Edmonton's own" battalion, home from the war, was given a most enthusiastic reception Saturday afternoon on its return. The biggest crowd that Edmonton has ever seen turned out and lined the streets through which the parade passed. The battalion, travelling in two special trains, reached the city at 2 p.m. and was officially welcomed by Lieut. Governor Brett, Premier Stewart, Mayor Clarke and Maj.-Gen. McDonald, O.C. of M.M. 13.

In full battle order, with bayonets fixed and wearing their steel shrapnel helmets, the battalion presented a most martial and impressive appearance as led by Lieut. Col. Robert H. Palmer, D.S.O., with perfect step and alignment they marched down Jasper avenue for the first time as a unit. They wore the regimental colors, which had been deposited in Canterbury Cathedral during the war.

KNOX CHURCH MEMORIAL.

The congregation of Knox Presbyterian church, Red Deer, has decided to erect a suitable and worthy memorial in the church to the nine men from the congregation who gave up their life in active service overseas. It is expected that every boy and girl, as well as every man and woman connected with the church will want to have some share in this tribute. No appeal or canvass for the necessary funds will be made. Subscription lists will be in the church next Sunday in charge of members of the committee, so that all who have not already contributed may have an opportunity to do so. As friends of the congregation who are out of town, or who have removed to other places may want to take their part in this act of grateful remembrance, they are asked to send their contribution at the earliest possible date to P. E. Graham, secretary-treasurer of the committee.

GERMANY WANTS TO DEAL WITH BOLSHEVIK

Paris, March 24.—Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, the German foreign minister, has sent Carl Kautsky, one of the under-secretaries in the foreign ministry, to Moscow to see the chiefs of the Soviet government and to furnish an accurate report on the situation which will allow the foreign minister to study methods as to the bringing about of closer political and economic relations with the Russian Bolshevik government, says a Zurich dispatch to the Matin.

Regt. Sergt.-Major S. O. Harvey, of Calgary, was in the city Monday and Tuesday visiting Pte. F. G. and Mrs. Heath and other friends.

REVIEW OF PROVINCIAL MARKETS

Calgary, March 21.

CATTLE.

Friday's prices on steers showed a very diceded break and the sales were from 25c to 50c lower than they had been on Thursday. The best steers sold in Calgary on Thursday brought $15.25, but only a few very nice ones sold on Wednesday at $14.25. It has been a light week in all provincial yards and more generous arrivals of good steers might strengthen the market, but in line with Chicago the prices are lower on steers for the present. Cows are holding firm at last week's quotations but they are due to drop if the steers do not recover.

HOGS.

Prices have been steady during the week, with sales of a few loads on Wednesday, said to be at last week's level. Prices on Thursday were a little lower, with a range from $19 to $19.10. The quotations today were given as $19.00 and $19.35.

SHEEP.

Market quiet owing to light receipts but butcher stuff would sell well.

GRAIN.

Barley and flax have been the only grains which have shown much material change during the week. Oats has been fluctuating a little chiefly due to the disturbing news in Chicago regarding the importation of corn from the Argentine. As the situation stands in Western Canada there is nothing to report which would justify the movement. There is a stronger demand for feed wheat and the prices are slightly advanced. Calgary cash prices steady.

PRODUCE.

Eggs are still holding a strong price on the Alberta markets owing to light receipts and the fact that eggs which are imported are brought by express. Prices are very risky and next week quotations may be any where from $14 to $16, according to supply and demand. Butter, both creamery and dairy, is in demand and prices are unchanged.

T. A. GAETZ MADE DIRECTOR OF DOMINION EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Ottawa, March 19.—The aims of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada were outlined by speakers from the various provinces at the banquet last night.

The election of officers resulted in J. A. Banfield, of Winnipeg, being returned as president of the Dominion executive council for the current year. The other officers elected were: Vice-Presidents, J. G. Watson, Montreal; J. L. S. Hutchinson, Saskatoon; J. A. Daniels, St. John's; T. A. Gaetz, Red Deer; W. D. Hopgood, Halifax; G. A. Howker, Vancouver; treasurer, H. Watters, Ottawa, and secretary, E. M. Towern, Ottawa.

WANTED.—A good reliable girl to work in Calgary, small family. Good home, wages $20 to start and expenses paid to Calgary.—Apply to Bank of Montreal, Red Deer. Mar. 26.

ESTRAY.—Two Small Geldings, one Bay and one Brown, branded h2.—$5 each will be given for their delivery to E. R. Hill, Red Deer. Mar. 26-3*

BREAKING WANTED.—Will take a contract for breaking any quantity of land up to five hundred acres, in hundred acre plots or bigger, also smaller jobs will be considered. Have had breaking experience of fifteen hundred acres.—R. E. Wilson, Box 5, Markerville. March 26, 2*

BARRED ROCK EGGS for hatching, good laying strain, $1.00 per setting.—D. G. Horn. Mar. 26-4*

FOR SALE.—Milch Cow, just calved, five years old.—Apply to A. Hicks, Red Deer, R.R. No. 2., or phone R518. Mar. 26-2*

ATTENTION!

What have you for sale in Farms, Ranches, City Property and Vacant Lots?

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TUESDAY, APRIL 8th, 1919

Sale at 10 o'clock. No Reserve. Lunch at Noon.

9 Head of Stock

3 Good Milk Cows (supposed to be in calf.)

2 Mares, 7 and 8 years old.
1 Gelding, 9 years old.
1 Gelding, rising 5.
1 Yearling Filly Colt.
1 Child's Pony.

36 Head of Poultry.

Implements

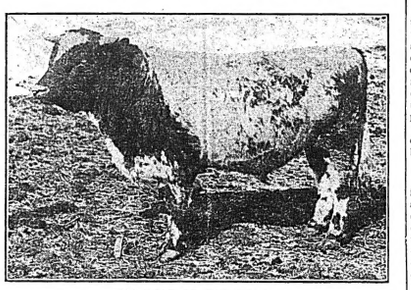
Wagon; Studebaker Light Spring Wagon; Democrat; set of Sleighs; Deering Mower; Hay Rake; Stubble Plow; Drag Harrows; DeLaval No. 12 Separator; set of Double Harness; 2 half sets Harness; Stock Saddle; 2 Rolls of Woven Hog Wire; Post Hole Digger, Etc., Etc.

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Iron Bedstead, Spring and Mattress; 2 Camp Beds and Mattresses; 6 Chairs; 1 Rocker; Linoleum; Hanging Lamp; Kitchen Table; Cook Stove; Quebec Heater; small Oak Heater; Oil Heater; Garden Tools; Broadcast Seeder; Washing Machine; Pair Horse Blankets; Scales; small Scales; Bread Mixer; small Churn; Stovepipes; 2 "Can't Sag" Steel Gates; Sealers; Bath; Boiler; and sundry small articles.

N. WHITE - Auctioneer, Red Deer.

Cash Auction Sale



THE HEAD OF THE HERD.

"POPLAR BLUFF FAVORITE," No. 122114.
By Gainford of Saskatoon.
By Gainford Marquis.

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THREE PUREBRED SHORTHORN BULLS

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Bay Mare, 5 years old, 1300 lbs.
2 Bay Mares, rising 2 years.
Black Mare, rising 1 year.
Black Gelding, 6 years old, 1400 lbs.
2 Geldings, aged, about 1250 lbs.

Black Gelding, Percheron, rising 2 yr.
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Lv. Red Deer	12.30	18.25	3.30
Ar. Edmonton	16.15	22.00	7.45

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	No.522	No.524	N.526
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Ar. Red Deer	12.10	17.05	3.50
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CANADA PLANNING TO SPEND 30 MILLIONS FOR PUBLIC WORKS

$100,000 TO BE SPENT IN EDMONTON.

Ottawa, March 19.—The main estimates laid on the table of the house today by Sir Thomas White contain a vote of $400,000 for the new Calgary post office. There is a vote of $40,000 for the fittings for the office of the assistant receiver general at Calgary, and one of $100,000 for Edmonton post office, and $8,000 for the dominion land office at Grande Prairie.

The main estimates for the fiscal year which commences on April 1, were presented in the commons today by Sir Thomas White, the total estimated expenditure being $437,679,071, an increase of $137,996,832 over the expenditure of the year which is just closing. The largest increase is in public works, which will be largely in connection with harbor improvement.

The sum to be expended will include thirty million dollars required for the construction of vessels in accordance with the government's shipbuilding programme.

Of the total proposed expenditure $85,893,581 will be chargeable to capital account, and $351,785,490 to consolidate revenue account.

RAILWAY EXPENDITURES.

Very large expenditures are again to be made in connection with railways. The amount to be appropriated is $50,896,681, which is an increase of over twenty-three million dollars as compared with the current fiscal year. The remainder of the capital expenditure of five and a quarter millions will be in connection with public works generally.

The estimates tabled today are exclusive of war expenditure which will be covered by a special vote.

$30,000,000 FOR PENSIONS.

The amount provided for pensions is slightly over thirty million dollars, an increase of almost fourteen million dollars over the current year. Almost one and a half million is to be devoted to immigration and colonization costs, an increase of $303,000. This does not include the expenditures in connection with land settlement for soldiers, for which the sum of over twenty-five million dollars is to be voted. Another large expenditure is $22,763,420 provided for the department on soldiers civil re-establishment, which includes the amount to be devoted to vocational training of returned men.

The railway and canal votes chargeable to capital account include over eleven million dollars for government railways and thirty-five million dollars for miscellaneous railway equipment. The appropriation for the Hudson Bay railway is only one hundred thousand dollars, but western members hope that this will be increased in the supplementary estimates to be brought down later.

The $100,000 Hudson Bay vote is for Port Nelson terminals. Provision is made for the spending of $3,500,000 on the Welland Canal.

Railways and canal votes chargeable to income total over thirty-six million dollars. This sum includes a loan not exceeding thirty-five million dollars chargeable on demand with interest payable half yearly at the rate of six per cent. to be used to meet expenditures made or indebtedness incurred in paying interest on securities in excess of the amount available from net earnings, or paying maturing loans of the Canadian Northern railway or any company included in the Canadian Northern system and for construction and betterments; said loan to be secured by mortgage upon the undertaking of the Canadian Northern railway system, containing such terms and conditions as the governor in council may approve.

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MAURICE FAVORS LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

New York, March 20.—Because "there is some hope of making war impossible, through a league of nations, but no hope of doing it any other way," Major-Gen. Sir Frederick Maurice, former director of military operations of the British geneal staff, declared here tonight that he favored the project. The general added his opinion that "a great majority" of the British people were enthusiastic for the league plan.

Arriving in this country for a stay of several months, Gen. Maurice told interviewers "that for the first time in history, the British people had been at war, and they don't like it."

The general reported England "almost unanimously opposed to conscription," but said it would be necessary for a few months to replace the regular army disorganized by the war.

Admitting that "you can't stop any nation from arming and fighting," he hoped that reduction of the German army to 100,000 would "get Germany and other nations out of the habit of spending money on armament."

"HINDY" AND FORMER KAISER STILL FRIENDLY.

Berlin, March 20.—Aroused by recent criticism of former Emperor William regarding his flight from Germany into Holland last fall, Field Marshal von Hindenburg has prepared and published here a defense of the ex-ruler's action. After depicting the situation as it existed in November, caused by the weakening of the army, the doubtful reliability of the forces in the field, and the breaking out of the revolution at home, the field marshal writes:

"The peaceful return home of the emperor then became impossible. It could only have been carried out through the forceful employment of loyal troops and civil war would have been added to the hostilities with the enemy.

"The emperor could have betaken himself to the fighting troops in order to meet death at their head in a last attack on the enemy, but the armistice so keenly desired by the people would thereby have been postponed and the lives of many soldiers uselessly sacrificed. The emperor, finally, in agreement with his advisers, and after a severe mental struggle, decided to leave the country, solely in the hope that he could thereby best serve the fatherland, save Germany from further losses, distress and misery, and restore peace and order to her."

WINNIPEG VETERANS DEMAND ARREST OF "REDS"

Winnipeg, March 20.—War veterans in Winnipeg will accept the challenge of the Bolsheviki by demanding the deportation of "red" Socialists, I.W.W.'s and other agitators as undesirable citizens. A resolution, similar to the one adopted by the Great War Veterans at Calgary, will be adopted by the Winnipeg unit at the meeting tonight of the executive, according to John O. Newton, vice-president.

It is expected that a demand for the deportation or internment of so-called labor leaders who openly advocate revolution in Canada, and who openly endorse the Bolsheviki of Russia and the Spartacans of Germany, will be taken up by the veterans' organizations throughout the country.

Officials and other members of local veterans' associations expressed indignation over the Bolsheviki features of the platforms adopted at the Calgary convention.

"Do you think we are going to sit with folded arms while Bolsheviki here try to do to Canada what the Huns did to France and Belgium?" asked one veteran when asked his opinion. "If the 'reds' think they are going to get away with any of this 'Russian stuff' here they have another think coming." The arrest or deportation of those who gave voice to Bolsheviki sentiments at the Calgary labor convention was demanded in a resolution adopted Monday evening last by the Calgary Great War Veterans' Association.

ONTARIO FARMERS BACK STAND TAKEN IN THE WEST.

Woodstock, March 20.—A largely attended meeting was held here tonight for the purpose of forming a county organization of the United Farmers of Ontario. A resolution endorsing the stand taken by the farmers in the west was passed as follows:

That we, the representatives of the various United Farmers of Ontario clubs, in the county of Oxford, place ourselves on record as endorsing the stand which organized agriculture in western Canada is making for better trade relations along the lines laid down in the platform of the Canadian council of agriculture, and that this resolution be communicated to Mr. Maharg and to the federal members for Oxford county.

A second resolution passed objected to daylight saving.

CANADIAN WOUNDED COME VIA PORTLAND.

Portland, Maine, March 19.—Intention to bring to this port from overseas all the wounded of the Canadian armies, about 20,000 men, was announced today by Maj.-Gen. Fotheringham, director-general of the Canadian Medical service. He came here to take charge of the arrangements for their reception.



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HOUSE FORCED TO ADJOURN FOR LACK OF A QUORUM

First Occurrence of its Kind in the Alberta Legislature.

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That fairly well describes the feelings of the members of the legislature Thursday afternoon when the house was automatically adjourned in the very midst of a speech on the budget by H. H. Crawford, opposition member for Strathcona. A. F. Ewing of the opposition benches suddenly drew the attention of Speaker Fisher to the fact that there was no quorum in the house. Mr. Speaker thereupon declared the house adjourned until Friday at 3 o'clock.

An unexpected phase of the situation is that according to the parliamentary rules of procedure the debate on the budget was abruptly brought to an end, and, if following the ruling given at an exactly similar instance in the Dominion parliament last week, the re-submission of the budget by the Hon. Mr. Mitchell may only be permitted by the unanimous consent of the house.

This is the first occurrence of this nature in the legislative assembly of Alberta. Following the address of the Hon. Duncan Marshall there was a temporary exodus from the chamber and Mr. Crawford was speaking to only 17 members when the house was declared adjourned by the Speaker. Twenty members constitute a quorum.

It is anticipated that Friday afternoon the house will perfunctorily agree to the re-introduction of the budget by Mr. Mitchell and that Mr. Crawford will proceed with his speech. Technically every member who has already spoken in the debate has the right to speak again. Large numbers of people interested in educational work were disappointed at the enforced closing of the house without a night session at which Hon. Geo. P. Smith was to have delivered the address on the program of work which the provincial department will launch and carry through during the present year, this being one of the most ambitious and progressive programs ever prepared and submitted to a provincial legislature. It is likely that Mr. Simth will deliver his address early next week.

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NO DEFINITE ENDORSEMENT

Calgary, March 19.—The Trades and Labor Council this evening, while endorsing the action of the delegates at the western labor congress last week, decided to postpone the passing of any resolution definitely endorsing the action of the entire congress in the various radical steps they took. It is quite possible that such action will be taken at a subsequent meeting.

HON. J. W. HANNA DIES IN GEORGIA AFTER A STROKE

Toronto, March 20.—News has been received here that the Hon. J. W. Hanna, head of the Canadian end of the Standard Oil Co., former food controller, and one-time secretary of Ontario, died today in Augusta, Georgia. He went there, accompanied by his physician, some time ago. Death followed a stroke.

BANFF IN CARNIVAL TIME



BANFF will open en fete for its Third Winter Carnival, from February 7th to the 15th. Those who were fortunate enough to visit it during the Carnival last year, found a Banff they had never dreamed of; how could they know of the beauty of this mountain resort in winter? Ask any resident of Banff which season he prefers, and his answer will invariably be "Winter."

It will only be a case of a very few years till tourists arrange their trips to take in the Carnival at Banff; as thousands visit New Orleans in March for the Mardi Gras, Pasadena for the Rose Tournament, or Continental cities and towns when they are en fete. Banff, the National Resort, will soon be the centre of winter sports in Canada, as Kristinia in Norway, and Stockholm, Sweden. Why? It is a perfect winter playground, apart from the wonderful scenery, and many will want to see the "Top of the World" in winter.

The preparations for the Carnival this year are on a larger scale than previous years. The aim is to make Banff a winter as well as a summer playground. In one aspect the visitor will find the amusement of both combined in the hot sulphur springs, which gives one the privilege of swimming out in the open with the thermometer above, or twenty below zero, in hot tepid, but warm water.

The spirit of the Carnival will again have full sway throughout the town, and those who arrive at night will feel the pages of many books have at last become a part of their lives; for they are in a veritable tiny miniature fairyland. Colored lights are to be strung across the streets, down the toboggan slide, and on the rinks in thousands, giving the gala affect so desired.

The ice palace will as usual be the centre of attraction. The style is one which will be admired by all who see it. Hundreds of lights shining through the blue green of enormous blocks of ice, produce an effect that can readily be imagined to be very lovely; and most harmonious with the dark pines around, the clear blue sky and the mountains in the background.

Those only in town a few moments will suddenly be attracted by bells, shouting, singing, etc. When their eyes follow the sound, another spot of this Fairyland will be revealed. Two rows of many colored lights and flaming torches mark the route of the toboggan slide.

The list of amusements is a long one. There are the hockey and curling matches, toboggan races, snow shoe, and ski races. The ski jumping this year promises to be one of the big events, for a new jump costing five hundred dollars is being built. Some of the best skiers in Canada taking part in the competitions. The Pony Ski races are, of course, on the programme, and will no doubt create the usual excitement. Snow shoe tramps equally as interesting as last year have been planned where lunch will be served at Game Warden's Cabin. These tramps are conducted by men who know every inch of the country. Masquerade balls bring the items on the programme to a close.

Those who imagine the world in the mountains to be a dead one in winter, will have a pleasant surprise. Rivers, brooks, cataracts and falls are all pursuing their merry course, as in summer, except in perhaps very occasional spots. The animals are not huddled up inside their burrows or seeking shelter away from the world to escape "this awful winter," but roam around as in summer (except the bears) deer, goats, Rocky Mountain sheep, and coyotes are to be seen, also winter birds of several varieties.

Banff dead in winter? No, indeed, and very soon it will be more alive than ever, for instead of hundreds there will be thousands come to see the "Top of the World" in winter.

Let those who come this winter enjoy Nature in all the beauty of her, winter garb—or enter into any of the competitions for the many lovely, prizes the residents of Banff are giving, for the true sport and joy of amusement; and those same people will again be claimed as guests at other Carnivals.—E. C. McD.

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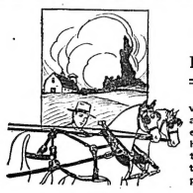
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U. F. A. CONFERENCE

Decides to Take Political Action in Red Deer

Representatives of U.F.A. locals of Red Deer Federal constituency met at the Parish Hall, Red Deer, on Tuesday afternoon and evening in response to the call of Mr. Jos. Stauffer, Olds, U. F. A. director for this constituency. There was an attendance of about one hundred delegates, and it was decided to take political action, and to hold a convention at Red Deer in June to carry such decision into effect by the selection of a candidate, if then advisable, and to take any necessary further action.

Mr. Jos. Stauffer, district director, and Mr. D. W. McKinnon, President Red Deer U.F.A., were nominated for chairman, Mr. McKinnon would not accept the office, and Mr. Stauffer took the chair and explained the purport of the meeting in the following letter which he had sent out to the forty-two locals of this constituency:

March 4, 1919.

To the members of the Red Deer Constituency:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

At a recent U.F.A. meeting of the Olds Local re political action there were present representatives from Red Deer, Penhold, Innisfail and Bowden Locals. After some discussion it was decided to call a meeting of the locals in the Red Deer constituency for the purpose of ascertaining if the farmers in Red Deer constituency were ready for political action.

Every local should hold a special meeting and decide if they want to send a delegate or delegates to the Red Deer meeting; such delegates should be instructed by the local who send them as to what action they wish their delegates to take at this meeting.

This will be merely a preliminary meeting to ascertain whether or not we will call a convention of Red Deer constituency for political action.

Meeting will be held at the City Hall at Red Deer on Tuesday, March 18, at 2 p.m.

Yours fraternally,
JOS. STAUFFER,
Olds, Alberta
Director, Red Deer Constituency

Mr. Stauffer took the responsibility on himself for calling the meeting at Olds, referred to in his circular. Mr. McKinnon contended that the U.F.A. convention at Edmonton laid down a procedure as to the number of locals necessary, and the percentage of membership necessary, to initiate a U.F.A. movement in any constituency for political action, and this had not been followed. The headoffice at Calgary had also sent out a questionaire to ascertain the minds of the locals in the different constituencies as to political action, and these questionaires had not been generally circulated or replied to, other delegates pointed out Mr. Stauffer said that the meeting at Olds was sufficiently representative to direct the calling of this more general conference, and he had specially asked headquarters not to send the questionaire into Red Deer constituency as they had already initiated their movement for political action. Mr. McKinnon did not understand that the meeting at Olds, called by Mr. Stauffer, was specially called for this purpose: he doubted whether any of the delegates then present had any instructions whatever from their locals as to forwarding political action.

Mayor Lord was then introduced and gave the delegates whole-hearted welcome on behalf of the citizens. He recounted some of his recollections of the earlier history of farmers' political movements down east: he thought at times that the success of the U.F.A. was due to their having no politics in their U.F.A. work. They were assisted by both parties, if they needed any assistance at all.

Mr. Huktil, of Blackfalds, was chosen secretary.

The chairman expressed the view that the farmers were not getting anywhere in this history-making period, hence the need of political action. Other lines of action had been taken, and had brought about definite results, but these had had their day. The period of resoluting was past, and action must be taken. The reason the U.F.A. was showing no increase in membership was because of inactivity on political lines. Mr. Stauffer had to explain more than once how he came to get ahead of the questionaire, and how the movement was started by him in this riding.

Mr. L. M. Gaetz presented the following resolution to start business:

"Resolved—

"That this conference of farmers representing the Local Councils of the United Farmers of Alberta in the Federal riding of Red Deer, do heartily and unanimously endorse the platform of the farmers as laid down by the Dominion Council of Agriculture.

"Whereas mere endorsation of this platform would be ineffectual unless co-operative action be taken by all our organizations, it is resolved by this conference to take the necessary steps to call a convention at such time as we may consider opportune with a view to placing representatives in the field to represent our interests.

"Whereas the Western provinces have agriculture as the basic industry, and all urban centres being largely dependent on agriculture for their existence, it is urged that the co-operation of all classes be sought to help elect representatives to parliament who are prepared, regardless of old time party ties and affiliations, to carry out our platform and fight every issue that does not aim at equal justice to all.

"Whereas misunderstandings often arise between the electors and representatives, it is resolved that a conference of the electorate be called immediately after every session of parliament when the member will be asked to report on his work during the session and to receive instructions concerning his work during the next session."

POPULATION OF CANADA IS EIGHT MILLION

Ottawa, March 19.—Canada's estimated population today is 8,335,000, according to an answer given to Mr. Tobin in the House of Commons. The population last census was 7,026,643.

Sir Thomas White informed Mr. Kay that up to March 12, 1919, the newsprint commission had cost the country $75,945. The investigation had enabled the various newspapers to continue by regulating the supply and cost of paper, thus making it possible for the government to give greater publicity to the various war loans and other necessary measures. Hon. J. A. Calder told Mr. Proulx that the cost of the repatriation committee to March 11 was $60,720. There were 50 employed in the work of the committee at the present time. Salaries to date totalled $20,364.

THE NEWS' WEEKLY SERMON

By Rev. G. D. ARMSTRONG.

"And Zacchaeus stood and said unto the Lord: Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor, and if I have taken anything from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold."—Luke 19: 8.

It is characteristic of the evangelist Luke to record instances where religious faith has been found in persons, we should not ordinarily expect to manifest such a spirit.

We know so little of the previous history of Zacchaeus that we are unable to form a definite opinion concerning him. He may have been guilty of the worst sins of his class and the coming of Jesus transformed his whole nature, leading him to his unlawful gains, or being lavish abandon with reckless generosity, cent, he may have suffered in reputation because of the hatred with which publicans were generally regarded, and the coming of Jesus led to a vindication of the character of a man whom public opinion had unjustly condemned. In either case, the incident is richly suggestive in its moral teaching.

We know that Zacchaeus was chief of the publicans, and very wealthy. It is possible that he had gained his position by superior business ability or that he had obtained his wealth in a perfectly legitimate manner, but whatever may have been the facts of the case, his position and wealth would lead to his being ostracised by every patriotic Jew. The aristocracy of wealth had not yet been established in his day as it has been in other ages and lands. Religious zeal was the badge of aristocracy in Jewish circles and Zacchaeus, though wealthy would be held in contempt, because he represented the hated aristocracy of Rome. In spite of all his possessions, Zacchaeus was a social outcast. Few of us realize what an influence public opinion has in the formation of character and the shaping of moral conduct. Place a man in such a position, that he has no regard for the opinions of others, make him a social anarchist, and you injure most deeply his moral nature. 'If a man is worth nothing to other folks, why, what's the use of living? The donning of a uniform stimulates patriotism, and men will gladly sacrifice themselves 'for the honor of the brigade.' One great value of church membership is that it impresses us with a sense of responsibility not only for one's personal conduct, but for the common good. Our standards of life are lowered if we have no identified ourselves with some institution which broadens our vision and deepens our sense of responsibility. The publicans of Jesus' day suffered immeasurably because they were an outcast class. The brand of shame leads to shamelessness.

The opportunity to commit a crime is often the incentive to do so. Zacchaeus' position tended to foster a spirit of selfishness and avarice. Money-making has a withering influence upon a man's spiritual nature. The peril of wealth might well lead all to ask, "What shall it profit to gain the world, if the soul is to be the purchase price? The man who hoped the war would last for twenty years to keep up the price of wheat, had the soul of a murderer. The sin of profiteering has deeply stained the spirit of our citizenship. Unless it is eliminated from our national life, we may well fear the consequences of it upon our lives and institutions. The only thing that can save us from its dire influence is the spirit of Jesus. We need to have a real insight into His moral teaching and a willingness to live in harmony with His principles if we are to safeguard ourselves from the evil of the age in which we live. Losing our sense of human brotherhood and lining ourselves in opposing classes will not save us.

We are warring not against flesh and blood but against the spirit of evil wherever it manifests itself, and happy is he who is free from the wrong he condemns in others.

As we have already suggested, Zacchaeus may have been free from the sins of his class. The incident shows him to be a man of foresight and energy, shrewd, resourceful and able to overcome difficulties. These qualities are essential to success and will ensure success wherever they obtain. It is absurd to suppose that piety can be maintained only among those who are lacking in organizing genious or business ability. It is reasonable to suppose that the very quality in the mind of Zacchaeus which led him to take an interest in Jesus and to welcome him heartily as his guest, had kept alive the sense of justice and humanity in his whole career. Being placed in a position of peculiar peril, he safeguards himself against the spirit of avarice by unusual generosity. It was his custom to give not a tithe, but the half of his income to charitable purposes, and to curb any desire to unjust extortion by fourfold restitution of unlawful gain.

Whether this attitude was induced by the influence of Jesus, and marks a revolution in his life which we may call conversion, or whether it was a habit of longer duration, it indicates a sense of righteouness and brotherhood sorely needed in the present age. If men of wealth could be induced to follow his example and wholeheartedly adopt such an attitude in the regulation of their affairs they would do much to restore the spirit of mutual service and good fellowship which we must have as the basis of our social order.

Those who have read Ian MacLaren's works will recall the story of Drumsheugh, the reputed miser. What a revelation of feeling comes to us when we realize that those whom we have condemned because we have not correctly interpreted their actions are possessed of a spirit of unselfishness and devotion to an ideal which puts to shame our lack of faith.

Well will it be for us when with nobility of life, we may inspire those who are in danger of losing their soul to newness of life; or may awaken the confidence through tactful sympathy that those who are hiding the light that is in them may arise and shine in the glory of their real manhood.

Earth can afford no higher joy than that which comes to those who seek and save that which was lost.

CONDEMN GREETING TO THE BOLSHEVIKS

At a meeting of the local executive of the Dominion Labor party Wednesday night, the following resolution was passed:

"Resolved that the executive of the Elmonton branch of the Dominion Labor party take this first opportunity of condemning the action of the recent inter-provincial Labor convention in sending fraternal greetings to the Bolsheviki government of Russia and the Spartacan party in Germany; and while upholding the principles of free speech and a free press, we denounce the abuse of either.

A QUESTION FOR THE GRAIN GROWER

WHEAT OR OATS IN 1919?

The best information from Europe indicates that a considerable surplus of wheat will be carried over from the 1918 crop; and when the 1919 crop is harvested, the world surplus will probably be the greatest for any corresponding date in history. Unfavorable climatic conditions may, however, reduce the crop; and the return of Central Europe and Russia to a stable condition with safe payments, may take care of the surplus. But, in any case, the world's price value of wheat is likely to be much lower than it is now.

In the United States, with their fixed price for wheat, farmers will naturally increase the wheat acreage, and decrease the acreage of coarse grains. Canadian wheat must be marketed next season in competition with an estimated American surplus of six hundred million bushels. But is there not an opportunity for our grain growers to take advantage of the American reduction in coarse grain acreage? It is probable that oats and barley, where they can be successfully grown, may offer excellent profits to Canadian growers in 1919.

Coarse grains will be needed as feed to meet the requirements of increased live-stock production. Oats for milling, if of superior quality and free from barley, command a premium on the market. Seed oats, free from frost injury, wild oats and other noxious weed seeds, will always be in strong demand at good prices. Western farmers may well take these factors into consideration in preparing for this season's grain crop.

PRINCESS PATS' DEMOBILIZED

Ottawa, March 19.—The famous Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry is no more. Demobilization was completed shortly after seven o'clock tonight, the last man being discharged and the unit disbanded. It was considered the demobilization constitutes a record for speed, as the men did not reach their barracks for dinner until shortly before one o'clock this afternoon.

There was a touching scene when Lieut. Col. A. Hamilton Gault, organizer of the unit, bade the men farewell. Many of the men left for their homes tonight, those living at a distance being provided with first-class sleeper accommodation and tickets in addition to generous allowance for meals en route. Toronto and western men were among those leaving tonight.

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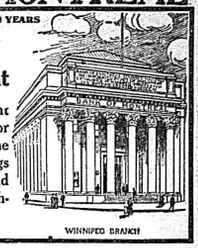
GOOD SEED

It is not only important that vital seed of good quality be used for seeding, but much depends upon the variety of seed chosen for planting. One of the principal functions of the Dominion Experimental Farms system is to develop and prove the relative values of sorts of grain and other field crops. As a guide to farmers in deciding what varieties to sow, Circular No. 16 of the Experimental Farms issued by the Cereal Division has been prepared. This pamphlet, which is distributed by the Publications Branch at Ottawa, discusses the merits of the leading varieties that have been tested during a series of years. The best kinds are arranged approximately in order of merit for the different parts of Canada. Spring wheats are divided into four classes. Following are the leading sorts in each class: Late ripening, Red Fife; early ripening, Marquis; very early, Ruby; extremely early, Prelude. The specially early sorts though not as productive as the late ripening are recommended for northern areas. In oats, the Banner is placed first. Manchurian leads in six-rowed barley. Duckbill in two-row, Success and Champion in hooded, and Guy Mayle in hull-less. Arthur leads in peas, and Navy in beans. Flax is classed as seed and fibre. Novelty is the best of the former and Longstem of the latter.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 29

3 HEAD OF HORSES

Buckskin gelding, 7 years old, weight 1050 lb; brown gelding, 5 years old, weight 1075 lb; brown gelding, 5 years old, weight 1175 lb.

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Bed, sanitary cot and bedding; organ, good; extension dining table, cook-stove, Air-Tight heater, small cream separator, new washing machine, flat-top desk, dresser, Singer sewing machine, kitchen table, chairs, dishes, pots, pans, etc.
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7 ewes; black ewe, to lamb in March; buck; 12 dozen Plymouth Rock chickens; 4 turkeys—2 toms; 3 geese.

3 HEAD OF CATTLE

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26th, 1919.

AN EMPTY THREAT.

In Germany's threat that unless the Allies become more lenient, and do just what Germany wishes them to do, there is a possibility, says the Winnipeg Telegram, that Germany will go down before Bolshevism, and a state of anarchy ensue fraught with dire consequences for the Allies, is not a threat which will unduly frighten the Allies into doing anything they do not already contemplate doing.

The fate of Germany, whether it disappears as a state, or whether it perish in a regime of anarchy, is not the first consideration of the Allies. If Germany were to perish utterly, it would be no more than a just return for the ruin and devastation she has forced other countries to undergo.

What is more important than even the survival of Germany is the survival of civilization. Beside that, the fate of Germany dwindles into insignificance. What the Allies have first to do is to see that there shall be no more the opportunity given to Germany, or any other nation, to plunge the world into the horrors of a war such as that which Germany precipitated in August, 1914. If, as a side-issue, while that task is being accomplished, Germany, showing herself worthy of assistance by evincing a change of heart, the Allies should take compassion upon her and render that assistance, it will not be due to any fear of Germany's disappearance, but solely to the fact that the Allies will have been able to safeguard themselves and the world to such an extent that the assistance may safely be given without entailing any possibility of treachery from Germany.

Outside of that, no one cares very much whether Germany survives or not.

THE KINMEL RIOT.

Behind the riots at Kinmel camp lay a real grievance, says the Toronto Globe. The men were veterans and volunteers, who after three or four years of fighting felt they had earned the right to return home before men who had not been in the trenches or had been drafted for service. They were detained in a spot which all reports agree is bleak and isolated, and they had not the comforts and conveniences to which they had been accustomed in older camps. Ships which were promised failed them. It is explained that the embarkation programme was upset by strikes and a shortage of coal, but the Canadians were probably aware that the great liners had been diverted from Canadian routes for the transport of American troops who had been in Europe less than a year. The monotony of camp life under disagreeable conditions, after the excitement of active service, was made more unbearable by the longing for home. No excuse can be offered for looting and destruction of property, but the perpetrators may have been only a few of the whole number in camp, and may have been under the influence of the liquor which the dispatches say they obtained from the officers' quarters.

Nearly half a million Canadian troops have been in England for long or short periods since the beginning of the war. The Kinmel disturbance is the only one which has been described as mutinous, and there is some doubt whether it even deserves that term. That the general conduct of the Canadians in England, France and Flanders has been excellent is the verdict of all. The Kinmel trouble, in view of the causes, ought not to weigh against the admirable record of the Canadian boys in camp and in the field. An official inquiry will fix the responsibility, but it is to be hoped there is no ground for the suggestion in some dispatches that the outbreak will indispose the authorities to make any special attempts to facilitate the embarkation plans. The ring-leaders of the riot and the men found guilty of actual violence should be punished, but probably very few could be accused of vicious motives. The majority were misled into foolishness which they must regret.

EFFECT OF THE ARMISTICE ON HOARDED MONEY.

There is reason to think that hoarding was practiced a great deal more during the war than is generally believed. With peace assured, the hoarded money is now beginning to appear, and it is to be hoped that quite a lot of it may go to buy War Savings Stamps.

In the United States it is estimated that $1,500,000,000 was hoarded by foreigners during the war period. Banking authorities say that since the signing of the armistice, this hoarded money has come out to a surprising extent and this opinion is confirmed by the savings bank deposits. In New York State this class of deposits increased by $39,400,000 during the period from December 28th, 1918, to January 12th, 1919.

Undoubtedly the cessation of hostilities has had a similar effect on hoarded money in Canada, for it is well known that hundreds of people of foreign birth drew money out of the bank and either carried it on their persons or hid it. The question is—how much of this money will go into War Savings Stamps? The whole country is vitally interested in seeing that a large portion of it is thus invested, while it is to the interest of the person holding such money to put it to this use.

The Calgary Albertan.—It takes the curlers of Red Deer to keep that town on the map, and incidentally give the place some needed advertising it otherwise would not derive. The Wiser cup is held by the men curlers of Red Deer, and not to be outdone the fair sex have possession of the Ramsey challenge cup. Certainly a creditable record to be proud of.—Unfortunately our fair sex failed to get the Ramsey cup by a couple of points from Innisfail, who now hold it. But we hold the Ash cup, which is some hold, the boys think.

Pres. Wilson refused to meet an Irish delegation until Justice D. F. Cohalan had withdrawn from the room. Cohalan is the miscreant who was mentioned in the von Igel papers as urging the Germans to support the Sinn Feiners by aerial attacks on English cities and towns—i.e., slaughtering non-combatants. Yet this pro-German advocate of aerial murder was chosen as Chairman of the recent Irish convention at Philadelphia, to the shame of the delegates, clerical and lay. These are the sort of people Irish-Canadians are asked to consort with.

RECORD SALE OF SHORTHORNS

The Dominion government, through Duncan Brown, their livestock representative at Edmonton, bought twenty-nine Shorthorn bulls recently from J. L. Walters & Sons, Clive, the largest sale made by any one man from one firm.

REVISION OF THE TARIFF IS NECESSARY

GOVERNMENT CAUCUS HELD THURSDAY, EVERYTHING GOES SMOOTHLY.

Ottawa, March 20.—The government caucus on the tariff which opened this morning at 11 o'clock was the most largely attended of the session. The purpose of the caucus is to hear the views of the Unionist members as to what the fiscal and trade policy of the government ought to be. During the debate on the address the two extremes of opinion as to the tariff were expressed in the house by members of parliament in attendance at today's caucus, Col. J. A. Currie voicing the protectionist viewpoint, and J. A. Maharg, of Maple Creek, president of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers, that of the western farmers.

The western viewpoint was emphasized in a letter received this morning by all western members from William R. Wood, M.L.A., secretary of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association, containing a resolution passed by the Grain Growers, which said:

"We look to western members of the house of commons for an inflexible stand on the farmers' platform."

The resolution states that as agriculture is the basic industry of Canada and that as the war is over delay should not continue in tariff changes.

TO AVOID WANT.

There is no reason why substantial progress should not be made at once.

The resolution says further that "the exorbitant cost of living to the common people must be reduced if actual want is to be avoided."

At the conclusion of the caucus which was prolonged, Sir Thomas White stated that 25 members had taken part in the discussion and they were allowed seven minutes each.

Only the tariff was discussed, and he expressed the opinion that no inseparable difficulties presented themselves to arriving at a reasonable conclusion which would meet the view of all members of the Unionist party. He said the discussion was conducted with moderation and there was no suggestion of schism.

Sir Thomas stated to the Canadian press that he had pointed out to the caucus that a general revision of the tariff had taken place periodically as in 1896 and 1907.

REVISION NECESSARY.

There had been, he said, a partial revision in 1914, and a general revision, after a full enquiry by ministers would have taken place in 1914, but for the war.

It was stated, said Sir Thomas, that after normal conditions returned, a general revision would be necessary. This would be accomplished after an inquiry by the minister of finance, assisted by western and eastern members who could hold conferences at which those having conflicting interests could attend and all the different interests of the country could be fully considered.

In the meantime the acting prime minister said he was confident that measures could be taken and announcements made as to the future which would carry the judgment of the Unionist following, and would not be a detriment to the national interests.

RED SHIELD CAMPAIGN TO BE LAUNCHED IN RED DEER

A meeting of a number of business men was held in the Council Chamber on Thursday to discuss the possibilities of launching the Red Deer portion of the Dominion-wide Campaign for $1,000,000. Adjutant Tutte of Winnipeg headquarters, the supervising officer for the campaign, with Captain F. L. Mundy of the local corps, represented the Army.

The Adjutant outlined the objects, and, it was conceded by all, the worthiness of the cause. In part the speaker said:

"In making this the first general appeal to the public of Canada for funds for its work on behalf of soldiers and soldiers' families, the Salvation Army does it with confidence because of the abundant proof there is forthcoming that

(1) It brings its essential contribution to the well-being and happiness of the men and their dependents, a contribution that neither duplicates that of any other agency, nor can be obtained from any other source.

(2) The record of work done is such as to give the very best guarantee that what is undertaken for the future will be satisfactorily completed.

In connection with the overseas work mention must be made of the splendid hostels in London, where men on furlough are looked after with home-like care. 500,000 men have been provided for since the first one was opened, and there are a number of other hostels in large centres in England. So well are these regarded that the British authorities have handed over to the Salvation Army 65 buildings besides what we had already in operation, so that we may assist in billeting the men. These have been taken at the request of General Fielding, commanding the London district.

HOSTELS IN CANADA.

The establishment of hostels for the returned men is one of the main objects of the campaign. Eleven are already in operation and a chain of these stretching from coast to coast will enable us to meet the needs of men in the most effective manner. The splendid hotel in Toronto accommodates 4,500 men every month and hundreds are turned away. Thousands of our men return to no homes. Not every soldier has a nice home waiting him. He returns to Canada to lodgings, and his earning capacity makes it impossible for him to pay hotel rates. The Army—the Army he loves, provides a home for him until he gets settled. Labor bureaux are attached to our hostels. These are an immediate necessity for transient soldiers passing through the larger cities to their final destination; for soldiers who have no kin to welcome them, no firesides to give them cheer; for jobless soldiers, discharged from the Army, and still without work, and for those who in many emergencies require decent accommodation under good Christian supervision.

The need of emergency receiving and maternity homes for wives, widows, dependent and orphan children of the soldiers is a pressing one. While it is true that the government is making every effort to help the soldiers' dependents, yet there are many instances where the additional assistance is sorely needed of some benevolent institution which will cooperate with, on the one hand, the government, and on the other, such bodies as the Great War Veterans' Association.

Our demobilization officer and a staff of workers at the ports of landing are doing a splendid work already; every boat is met, letters and telegrams sent for the men to friends, tangles unravelled, missing friends located, and good work has been done in bringing about reconciliation of estranged couples. This work is very necessary in the case of the boats bringing wives and children of our men. Baby's needs are especially attended to; hundreds of feeding bottles, nipples, napkins, etc., and milk are provided for future citizens of Canada. Many wives and children of our men have never seen Canada, and in some cases the widow is returning to the homeland of her husband, whose battle-scarred body lies under the sod in northern France.

The Salvation Army has ever been the children's guardian, and the war has brought some considerable addition to its responsibility. In the various children's homes there are a number of soldiers' children, and the homes are useful as a place where the mother can leave her child when it is necessary for her to go to work.

The Salvation Army has made no general appeal to the Canadian public during the war. It has depended on voluntary offerings and small collections. It has lent its full strength to assist the appeals of other organizations. Today, seeing the need to be as great as ever, although different, the Salvation Army appeals to the generosity of the people of Canada.

"I thought you had an umbrella when you left home."

"I had," answered the man who was drenched. "I went to a Socialist meeting where everybody was in favor of eliminating individual advantage. By the time they got through dividing my umbrella around there wasn't anything left of it that anyone could use."

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FRIDAY, APRIL 4th, 1919

LUNCH AT 11 O'CLOCK. TERMS..CASH. SALE AT 12 O'CLOCK

HORSES

Team of Buckskin Geldings, 2600, 7years old.
Team, 2800, Bay Mare, 7 years old, Bay Gelding, 8 years old.
Black Gelding, 1050, 8 years old. Roan Gelding, 1000, 4 years old.
2 Yearling Fillies.

CATTLE

Holstein Cow, good milker. Shorthorn Cow, good milker.
3 Four year old Heifers, and 1 Three year old Heifer, range cattle all bred to Shorthorn Bull.
1 Yearling.
2 Calves.

PIGS

4 Well-bred Duroc-Jersey Sows, 3 due to farrow on April 1, and one on June 1st.

MACHINERY, Etc.

Heavy Wagon, complete, practically new; Wagon and Hay Rack, nearly new; Bain Truck Wagon, nearly new; Frost and Wood 3-horse Disc Drill; Deering Binder, six foot cut; Dain Mower and Rake; Cockshutt Gang Plow, 12 inch; Walking Plow; Four section diamond tooth Harrow; Set Heavy Bob Sleighs; Plank Wagon Box; McCormick Hay Rake; Set Heavy Breeching Harness; Set Plow Harness; Set Single Harness; 2 Pair Horse Blankets; Set Spreaders and Lead Rod; 2 Logging Chains; Picket Chain; Ice Saw and Tongs; Hay Forks, Scoop Shovel, Wheel-barrow; Stack of Hay, and other articles too numerous to mention.

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Boode Estate Public Sale

Instructed by the administrator of the above estate, I will sell by public auction at the farm, seven and one half miles west of Blackfalds, commencing at 10 o'clock, on

THURSDAY, APRIL 3rd, 1919

The following property:

11 HORSES

1 Team Grey Geldings, weight 3200, 6 and 8 years old.
1 Team Brown and Bay Geldings, weight 2550, age 8 and 14 years.
1 Team Black Mares, weight 2600, age 5 and 14 years.
1 Grey Mare, weight 1550, age 12 years.
1 Bay Mare, weight 1000, age 3 years.
1 Iron Grey Filly, weight 900, age 2 years.
1 Black Filly, colt, weight 650.
1 Bay Horse Colt, yearling, weight 700.

35 HEAD OF CATTLE

7 aged Cows. 6 Heifers, age 2 years.
2 Steers, age 1 year. 8 Heifer Calves.
5 Heifers, age 1 year. 2 Calves, age 3 months.
5 Steer Calves 1 Pure Bred Duroc-Jersey Sow, registered

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Kootenay Range; Dresser; 2 Tables; 3 Beds and Springs; 6 Chairs; Wash Stand; 2 Rockers; 2 Heaters; 2 Trunks; 2 10-gal. Cream Cans; 15 gal. Cream Can; De Laval Cream Separator; Writing Desk; Washing Machine, and some Oats.

TERMS.—All sums of $25.00 and under, cash. Over that amount a credit of eight moths will be given on joint bankable notes with interest at 8 p.c.; 5 p.c. will be given for cash over $25.00.

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To Prepare for a Dominion Prohibition Campaign.
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To Improve Housing Conditions.
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THE ALBERTA SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE

Is what its name implies, a league of representatives of all religious denominations and other welfare agencies for the united effort looking toward the social betterment of the people of the province. It is looking to the public for sufficient support to make it efficient.

Red Deer has given freely and in large sums for Patriotic, Red Cross, and Red Triangle Campaigns, and the Social Service League is asking the citizens of Red Deer for the sum of $1,000.

The League is conducting a

CHILD WELFARE INSTITUTE

in the METHODIST CHURCH, MONDAY EVENING, TUESDAY AFTERNOON and TESDAY EVENING, under the Direction of Rev. EDWARD S. BISHOP, Child Welfare Secretary.

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Natty Spring Suits for Little Gents



For Boys from 2 to 6 years of age. These come in Corded Velvets, Velveteens, Shepherds' Check and Fine Tweeds; made on the latest models, and are sure to please every mother. We will be pleased to show these little suits.

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We are also showing a few nifty little spring overcoats for the little man from 2 to 6 years, that mothers will be glad to see. Navy, Grey and Shepherds' Check, nicely made on new models. Ask to see them—they are dandies. Moderately priced.

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Men will be pleased with the new caps in the "Eastern" make. They are cleverly styled in a big variety of swagger patterns and novelty effects. There is an "Eastern" cap to suit every man. "Eastern" brand caps are made up to a standard of quality which is the best. Come in and let us show them to you. They are moderately priced from $1.25

Children's Hosiery

We pride ourselves on the qualities and values we offer at all times in hosiery for the children, and we wish to tell mothers that the new spring stocks offer just such values as have characterized this store in past seasons, and we want you to come and look them over.

Boys' "Buster Brown" Stockings, in 1-1 ribbed knitted from long strong yarns, plain knit seamless feet and extra spliced heels and toes; all sizes, per pair 65c

Girls' Fine Quality Stockings in 1-1 ribbed of good wearing yarns, in fast black, spliced heels and toes; sizes 6½ to 7½, pair 60c
Sizes 8 to 9½, per pair 65c

New Spring Furnishings for Men Arriving Daily



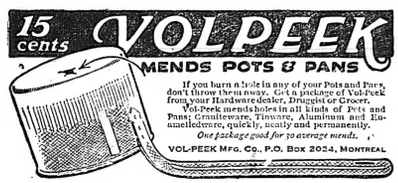
We are daily receiving new shipments of up to the minute furnishings for Men who like to be well dressed. Our stock is large and well assorted with nothing but up to the minute wearing apparel. We would like to call your attention to the new arrivals in Ties, Collars, Shirts, Gloves, Underwear, Hosiery, Hats and Caps for early Spring wear. Only the best and most reliable brands are carried in Stock. You will find the very best values at this store. We are always pleased to show our goods whether you intend buying or not. Let us show you some of these lines. Our prices are right.

Women's Spring Underskirts

Of Silk Poplin or Heatherbloom, in all new shades
We want you to come and see these lovely rich underskirts of good quality Silk Poplin, suitable for dress occasions. They are in bright shot effects, browns and greens or purple, finished with pleated flounces and shirred elastic waist.
Priced $2.25 to $7.50

Boys' Tan Boots at 3.75

This is exceptional good value—is made up of a good weight tan grain leather, is blucher cut, with good weight nailed soles, heavy cotton lined, and made over a neat good fitting last; sizes 1 to 5½. Priced at $3.75



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Millinery Opening

PORTRAYING CLEVER AND ORIGINAL IDEAS.

Many Clever and Original Ideas are portrayed in the New Spring Millinery, particular interest being centered in the Smart, Medium Priced Models so effective wearing with the new Tailored Suits and Dresses. Of special fashion interest are the large hats designed for more dressy occasions, developed of hair braid, soft straws and maline.

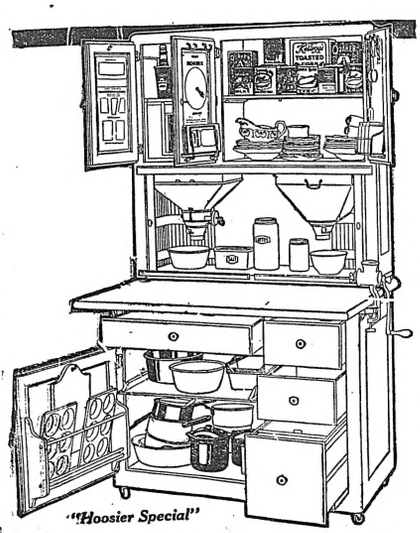
White trimmings include small flowers, touches of silk embroidery, beads and clipped ostrich wings, arranged with a talent that is characteristic of our Millinery Department.

The very newest shade for Spring and early Summer is Peace White and many delightful models are shown in both small and large shapes,developed of faille silk, caterpillar braid, satin mohairs, white tulle, moire silk, trimmed with wheat and fruit mixtures, also in white satin flowers.

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This week we offer you some real money-savers; Study this list and you will reduce the high cost of living.

CANNED GOODS.

Now is the time to lay in a stock of the following:
Tomatoes, Duncan's Best, 2½s Solid Pack, 6 tins for 95c; per case, 24 tins, $3.75
Peas, Early June, tender and uniform, Per case, 24 tins for $3.90
Corn, British Canadian, Creamy and Tender, No. 1 Quality, 2s, Solid Pack, ... per tin 23c
6 tins, $1.30; Per case, 24 tins, $5.10
Beans, Golden Wax, 2s, ... 23c
6 tins for $1.30
Pumpkin, 2½s, Solid Pack 18c
6 tins for $1.05
Hominy, large tins, ... 25c
Asparagus Tips, per tin 40c

EXTRA SPECIAL IN PICKLES.

Sweet, gallon $1.60
Quarts 50c
Sour, gallon $1.50
Quarts 45c
Chow, gallon $1.60
Quarts 50c

TEA TEA

Our Special Tea is a blend of Choice Teas, and is blended to suit the water of this district. All we ask of you is to try it and you will be a satisfied customer.
PRICE PER LB. 65c. Why pay more?

CEREALS.

Rolled Oats, 20s $1.15
Rolled Oats, 8s 50c
Wheatlets, 10s 80c
Oatmeal, fine, 10c 65c
Oatmeal, granulated, 10s 65c

DRIED FRUITS.

Seeded Raisins, Sunkist, 15 oz. packets, ...2 for 35c
Seedless Raisins, Sunkist, 11 oz packets, ... 15c
Bleached Sultana Raisins, ... 2 lb. for 45c
Cooking Figs 2 lb. for 45c
Apricots, extra fancy, ... 2 lb. for 65c
10 lb. box for $3.00
Peaches, choice, ... per lb. 25c
Prunes, extra large per lb. 25c
Prunes, choice per lb. 20c
25 lb. box, $4.75
Evaporated Apples, ... per lb. 25c
3 lb. Carton, 70c
25 lb. boxes, per lb. 23c

SPECIAL. SPECIAL.

No. 1. Ashcroft Beans 3 lbs, 29c
2 lb. Tins Vantoria Assorted Jams 40c
P. & G. White Naptha Soap, ... 10 bars for 65c
Ivory Soap, 99⅝ pure 4 bars for 25c
Golden West or Gem Lye, ... 4 tins 45c
2 lb. Tins Bee Hive Syrup, ... 3 tins for 70c
Macaroni, ready cut, 10 oz. Packets 10c
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HERE'S A SPECIAL



We are closing out some numbers which we have put on our bargain counter.

Values up to $2.00 for only $1.20

Values up to $3.00 for only $1.75

Help yourself while they last.

Here are some other lines —order by mail and we will gladly pay postage.

SHORT CORSETS
at $1.50, $2.25 up to $3.75

Medium Bust and long hip at $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3.50

Low Bust and Long Hip at $1.75, $2, $2.25, $2.50 and $3.50

High Bust and Long Hip from $2.75 to $4.50

SPECIAL—A very dainty Pink brocaded, in a light weight, short Corset, with elastic top.
Special $3.00

THE THREE GRACES:
POISE — CARRIAGE — DEPORTMENT
are assured to wearers of C/C a la Grace Corsets, the most comfortable and easiest fitting corsets obtainable.

Heavy Weight Corset, suitable for stout figures, at $3.50
Flesh Colored Corsets, with low busts and elastic tops, at $3.75
Flesh Brocaded, medium bust, at $4.00
Heavy Corsets, suitable for stout figures, at $3.50 and $4.00
Other lines at from $4.00 to $4.50
Delivered Free—Postage paid anywhere
Children's and Misses' Hygeian Waists at $1.50 to $1.75

NEW MILLINERY

Here are just a very few of our **Trimmed Hats**—these will give you an idea of our variety and the extreme reasonableness of our prices:

Navy Blue Satin and Chip Straw, beautifully trimmed $15.00
Close-fitting Hat in Victory Blue and Henna, trimmed with small blue wings, at $14.50
Purple Straw and Ribbon with Foliage, at $15.00
Sand Straw with deep blue ribbon crown, trimmed with foliage, at $11.00
Sand Satin and Chip Straw at $8.75
New Henna Shade Shapes at $6.75
A large assortment of **Black Shapes,** ranging from $2.00 to $7.50
Fancy Small Shapes, in Sand, Gold, Green, Brown, etc., at $3.00
Large Sailors, in Black and Sand, at $3.50
Colored Sailors, in Black, Sand, Brown and Pearl, at $2.00

NEW VOILES—very pretty Pinks, Maize, Helio and Green, at, per yard 90¢
Fancy Stripe Ginghams, in Green, White and Helio, also White and Grey, per yard 50¢
BEACH CLOTH in Ecru, per yard $1.75
SHANTUNG SILK in Natural shade, per yard $1.75
SILK AND FIGURED LINING in Rose and Grey, per yard $1.15 and $1.25
Heavy Ginghams, in Pink and Blue stripes, suitable for house dresses, at per yard 55¢
Plain Mid Blue Suitings, at per yard 45¢ and 50¢
Holland Linen, at, per yard 75¢

FOOTWEAR SPECIAL

WOMEN'S GUNMETAL CALF laced boots, mat top, white Rinex soles and cat's paw heels; a splendid line for growing girls or their mothers; sizes 2½ to 7. Price $7.75

A splendid line of American "Stitchdowns" very softly tanned, good strong soles, wide easy toes, for little feet; low broad heels. They come in White horse and tan elk.
Sizes 8to 10½ for $3.25
Sizes 11 to 2 for $3.80

A Heavy Box Calf Laced Boot, built on an English last, with semi-receeding toe, heavy viscolised sole and solid shank. It looks like a boot that will give 365 days' successive wear, is made by J. & T. Bell, and sells for..... $10.50

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OUR SPECIAL BLEND TEA is bringing us much praise and new customers.
Price per lb 65¢
Deckejulie Ceylon Tea, per lb 80¢
Lowney's Cocoa, 1lb tins for 50¢
Lowney's Cocoa, ½lb tins for 25¢
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The chief cause of poor health is our neglect of the bowels. Waste matter, instead of passing from the lower intestine regularly every day, is allowed to remain there, generating poisons which are absorbed by the blood.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD

The chairman, Mr. Gaetz; Secretary Welton, Messrs. Stephenson and Parsons and Principal Locke were present at the regular meeting of the Public School Board on Wednesday evening.

Accounts

The following accounts were ordered paid: Gaetz-Cornett Co., $31.70; Red Deer Advocate, $1.20; Manning-Sutherland Co., 65c.; W. G. Electric Co., $5.78; Alberta Government Telephones, 45c.; Mrs. H. W. Pamely, $15; Standard Drug Co., $1.30; Day Hardware Co., $9.10.

The Prize for Physical Culture

The Deputy Minister of Education wrote explaining that the Strathcona Trust provides a fund amounting to $600 a year, to be distributed among the school districts of the Province that are doing satisfactory work in physical culture. Three prizes are distributed in each inspectorate and in the Red Deer district the Inspector reported that the work in the Red Deer schools was superior to that in any other district in the Inspectorate, hence the $10 prize.

Principal's Report

Principal Locke presented the following report for February:

The High School and Grade VIII were open for fifteen teaching days, and the other rooms for ten days. Mrs. Pamely acted as substitute for Mrs. Holt for five days, as the latter was unable to teach because of illness. The total registration was 530, three more than in January, and 29 less than February of last year. The best record for attendance was made by Mr. Fowler's room (95.81%), and Mrs. Holt's was the best among the Primary. The High School registered 101.

The I.O.D.E. is presenting a medal for an essay competition in Grade VIII on the subject "Red Deer's share in the war," while Mrs. George is presenting one for a similar competition in the High School on the same subject, this medal to be known as the "Desmond St. Clair George Memorial." The competitions will be held in May.

Mr. Leslie Grossmith lectured to the pupils on music on Friday, February 28, and Mrs. Nellie McClung gave the High School pupils a short address on Tuesday, March 4.

The Teachers' Alliance will hold an open meeting on Saturday evening, April 5.

Four cases of corporal punishment were reported for February.

A couple of applications for appointment to the teaching staff were received and placed on file.

Mr. Fowler's qualifications for Cadet Instructor were reported quite satisfactory by Major MacNeill, headquarters military district No. 13. Principal Locke and Mr. Fowler will get roll and other organizing material and authority to get the instruction going.

Repainting and reclaiming walls, blackboards, dogs, securing school sites, presentation of medals, and other matters were discussed until 10 p.m.

DEMAND LARGE WAGE INCREASES

Winnipeg, March 19.—Artisans of almost every craft in Winnipeg are making or preparing their demands for substantial increases in their rate of pay and the unions are engaged in formulating their demands for presentation to their employers. Some of the unions are after a six-hour day at rates higher per day than the old eight-hour day called for.

For instance, the bricklayers are making their demand on a six-hour day basis, with payment at the rate of $1.25 per hour; the structural iron workers are demanding $1.10 per hour; the plasterers $1.00 per hour; building laborers, 65 cents per hour, other laborers, 60 cents. Carpenters who demand a 44-hour week, 80 cents per hour (hitherto they have worked a fifty-hour week at 60 cents per hour.) Teamsters, who have been working on a $23 per week basis, demand $26.40, together with a reduction in the working hours of from 60 to 54 hours per week. In the case of the painters, the demand, it was stated tonight, would be from 55 cents to 85 cents per hour.

BELATED XMAS PARCELS

Reach Their Recipients in Europe

Nurse Edith Hunter, Harry Kingzett, L. B. Holmes, W. H. Hall, H. G. Scott, Charlie Bremner, A. T. Reinholt H. L. Rose and Bert Miller have also written to acknowledge Christmas parcels sent by the Women's Council of Red Deer.

Spr. R. P. Miller, C.G.B.D., B.E.F., Etaples, France, got his parcel on February 12. It had quite an experience to get to him, but it was in very good condition. "I have a good job here, doing nothing, and I do it pretty well. I am in charge of the blanket store, and stored equipment. Of course I've only been at this work about two months and that seems about two years." He expects to finish at 'Varsity next fall.

H. G. Scott got his parcel in Inverness, Scotland, on January 27 on his return from Greece. He was looking forward with much pleasure to his return to Red Deer.

Miss Edith Hunt, formerly at the Memorial Hospital, Red Deer, wrote of the receipt of the parcel at 7th Canadian General Hospital, France, on February 15. Although a long time on the way, everything was in perfect condition. She is now back in the same Hospital where she was all summer, and she expected to be there until leaving France for good. "We are quite busy in the Hospital, the flu seems to be getting bad again, big convoys of patients coming in, and some of them are so sick." She was able to give her boys a treat with her parcel. "To see the pleased faces of them does one's heart good. Nothing is too good for the boys for all they have gone through."

Harry Kingzett wrote February 11 from Fiume, Austria, where the parcel found him. "Everything was in first-class shape, and as I am now living where anything outside of army rations is quite unobtainable it was all the more welcome. I expect it travelled quite a little bit further than most of the parcels you dispatched, as after going to the south of Italy, it was sent to Belgrade, Serbia, and from there to Fiume, Austria, where it eventually reached me. Since returning from leave in England in December, I have been doing a kind of Cook's tour through Europe, twice up and down the full length of Italy, then to Fiume, Austria, and from there to Zagraux, then Zemuw, Hungary, and finally reaching Belgrade, Serbia a few days ago. This latter town is in a deplorable condition, the people being badly in want of both food and clothing. It has been badly battered by shell fire also. The Serbian Relief Fund, the Salvation Army and the American Red Cross are all doing relief work, whilst our own Red Cross is assisting by donations to the Serbian Red Cross who do the distributing. Over 5,000 cases of food and clothing recently reached here through this source, and I can assure you they helped considerably; quite a bit of these are from the Calgary and Vancouver branches. We are all anxiously looking forward to getting home again now, but I am afraid it will be quite a while yet. The Imperial authorities seem to prefer to keep us out here doing nothing rather than getting us home.

Second Lieut. H. L. Rose, A.S.C., A.T.T., 7th Light Armoured Motor Battery, Mesopotamia, writes from Baghdad, January 16:

"Very many thanks to you and the ladies of Red Deer for the fine Xmas parcel which I received in fine condition two days ago. Luxuries are very difficult to get out here, and when they are obtainable they are usually spoilt by having been kept too long in the heat.

"I have been in this country since last February, have met several Canadians who were with me in France, and some of them know Lieut.-Col. Page. I have not seen him since August, 1916, when we were close together in France, and expect he will be back in Canada long before I shall. "The whole of this country is very loathsome to me, the climate is terrible, in the summer time it reaches 125 degrees in the shade, and, the winter brings plenty of rain and mud. Any roads here are are made of desert clay and the whole place is very flat, uninteresting and with no vegetation unless irrigation has been carried out. I am fortunate in having a car for my own use, so am able to break the monotony of life shooting. Please thank all the ladies for their very kind thoughts. It is nice to think we are not forgotten even if we are thousands of miles from home."

LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN

The Executive of the Local Council of Women met Wednesday afternoon in the City Hall. Seven were present, three affiliated societies being represented.

Mrs. Locke, convener of laws, read a very interesting report on recent legislation before the Provincial House, and some to come before the Federal, noting action taken thereon by the Local Council and its Executive. Council and its executive.

Mrs. Galbraith was appointed to attend trials of women and girls where permissible. The following resolutions were passed by the Executive to be sent to the affiliated societies for discussion:

"Resolved, that in order that our love and gratitude shall not fail to those who have suffered and died for us in the great war, the Red Deer Local Council of Women ask each religious body in the city and North Red Deer to devote part of the Easter morning service from now henceforth to the memory of these heroes, and to the enunciation of those principles of liberty and justice for which they fought."

"Resolved, that in the case of proposed legislation threatening the legal rights already given to women or otherwise contrary to the spirit of the National Council, Local Councils should have the right to protest directly to the Provincial Governments."

BRITAIN ORDERS TWO AIRSHIPS OF GREAT CAPACITY.

London, March 20.—Following successful trials of new British dirigibles of the rigid type of construction, the government, according to the Mail, has ordered the building of two enormous airships. Each will be 800 feet in length and will have a gas capacity of 300,000 cubic feet. They will be driven by six engines, which will generate a total of 1,800 horse power, and, it is said, will have a lifting power of 80 tons, compared with 29 tons, the largest load carried by any known to be in existence.

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The bureau aims to act as a means to assist soldiers and civilians in obtaining employment in this district, and to assist employers to get help, male and female. If writing, give Mr. Paterson all the details you can of your experience and capacity for any line of work.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 18th April for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mail on a proposed Contract for four years, six times a week on the route Leslieville and Railway Station, from the 1st July next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Leslieville, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

A. W. CAIRNS,
Post Office Inspector.
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Edmonton, 7th March, 1919.
Mar. 12-3

MUNRO & BAINES

Beg to announce to the Public of Red Deer and district that they have been appointed agents for the Ontario Steam Laundry, of Calgary. Laundry will be sent Monday, returned Saturday. First Shipment, Monday, January 13th.

Gaetz Avenue S.
(Opposite Gaetz-Cornett's.)
RED DEER, ALTA.

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PROVINCIAL NET DEBT AMOUNTS TO $30,746,200

PER CAPITA DEBT IS $31.18, SAYS THE HON. C R. MITCHELL.

Edmonton, March 19.—In concluding his speech on the budget Tuesday afternoon in the house, Hon. C. R. Mitchell, provincial treasurer, asserted that the criticisms and press reports concerning the government instituting direct taxation failed to take account of the fact that the province has always had direct taxation. The only new thing was the form; the supplementary revenue tax. Since 1905 he said, the government has been obtaining money by direct taxation. When the population was small the tax was applied mostly to corporations, and some came from the Dominion treasury. The expansion of population and the increasing needs of the province had made other forms of direct taxation such as the supplementary revenue tax necessary.

The speaker cited the increasing pressure brought to bear upon the government by various organizations for the expenditures of money, and remarked on the institution of such things as the government labor bureau and the maintenance of the provincial police. In this connection he also cited some figures which cannot be found in the printed public accounts and are therefore not readily available to the public. He also remarked briefly in regard to the proposal of the Dominion government to loan money for housing schemes, that the provincial government had only been able to obtain meagre information on the need of housing, but such as was at hand indicated that there was no acute situation of this kind.

BIG NET DEBT.

Mr. Mitchell incidentally recapitulated some interesting figures he had given the previous day concerning the public debt of the province, none of which appear in the printed budget. The total public debt of Alberta he places at $31,500,200, against which is a sinking fund of only $754,000, leaving a net debt of $30,746,200. However, the provincial treasurer pointed out that there must be taken into account that a large part of this debt is on the capitalization of revenue producing utilities and investments, chiefly the government telephone system. The total revenue producing debt he put at $10,102,000.

In addition there is another class of debt such as loans to the Alberta Farmers' Co-operative Company and other loans aggregating $300,000, making in round numbers a total revenue producing debt of $137,000,000 odd.

In the class of non-revenue producing debt, he put the debt for bridges at $2,500,000 and for trunk roads at $3,500,000, and for surveys at $700,000, while some $7,734,000 is invested in public buildings. Other items brought the non-revenue debt up to approximately $1,800,000. Tuesday Mr. Mitchell gave these figures exactly as follows: Revenue producing debt, $13,444,034.76; non-revenue producing debt, $18,056,156.24.

PER CAPITA DEBT.

On the basis of the total debt of $31,500,200, the per capita debt of the province would be $54.40, but it should be calculated only against the non-revenue debt; the per capita debt would only be $31.18, which, said Mr. Mitchell, compares very favorably with other provinces in the Dominion.

The total expenditure proposed this year, including both capital and current account expenditure, he put at $14,207,319.62, and the estimated revenue capital and current account at $13,121,470.88. Adding the latter total the cash balance on hand of $1,117,191.31 gives a total of $14,238,661.19, which balances the proposed expenditure with a small surplus.

Unfortunately none of these figures are shown plainly in the present form of the public budget.

The provincial treasurer also spoke briefly on the budget for the University of Alberta, first paying the university a high tribute for its record in the war, 433 of the alumni being returned men, and of those who went, 67 had been killed in action, while 23 had won decorations, some of them winning the Victoria Cross.

UNIVERSITY ATTENDANCE.

He gave the attendance figures at the university as follows; 1915, 439; 1916, 418; 1917, 305; 1918, 336; 1919, 507; and estimated for 1920, 700.

The university budget shows that the total estimated expenditure is $483,273 and estimated revenue $143,780, leaving an estimated net expenditure of $339,493. The principal expenditures all along the line are, of course, for salaries of professors, assistant professors, lecturer, demonstrators, etc., and operating expenses.

PRINCESS PATS GIVEN OVATION AT THE CAPITAL.

Ottawa, March 19.—Forty thousand enthusiastic citizens today gave royal welcome to the Princess Patricia's, Canada's most spectacular fighting unit. Practically all business was suspended and the route march from the central station to the exhibition grounds, more than two miles away, was lined with a cheering crowd. The men were in full fighting dress, steel helmets and rifles, and made an inspiring spectacle as they silently marched through the throngs. At the station a civic welcome was extended to the officers and men by Mayor Fisher, Col. Gault replying. After a short march the regiment formed on Connaught Square where a dais had been erected and where his excellency the governor general, gave a warm welcome to the returned heroes.

After the address the Pats marched to the exhibition grounds, where the men were dismissed. The honored colors presented to the battalion by the former Princess Patricia, were carried proudly aloft. Col. Gault, limping from injuries received in battle, headed the parade, and Col Adamson, who commanded the Pats for more than a year, was in line wearing a steel helmet. Four bands added to the joyousness of the welcome.

The Duke of Devonshire addressed the men of the noted battalion in part, as follows:

"In October, 1914, you left Canada with the fullest confidence and highest expectations.

"You bore an honoured and treasured name, and you had already firmly established a well deserved reputation.

"You took your place alongside the historic regiments of the old country in the splendid armies of the empire.

"You were pitted against the most formidable and highly trained troops ever organized by military genius, but the testimony of friends and foe alike is a striking proof of the military efficiency, the courage and the devotion of the regiment.

IMMIGRATION INTO WESTERN CANADA

The following report to the United States government by Mr. Samuel C. Reat, United States Consul at Calgary contains some exceedingly interesting figures relative to United States population in Western Canada:

"According to official figures, specially furnished this consulate, the total number of Americans that have taken up residence in the Province of Alberta since 1905, including five months of the fiscal year 1918-19, reaches 276,093. In 1905 the Province of Alberta was organized, and statistical information has been kept since that date of the immigration into the three provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Saskatchewan ranks second, with 226,330 immigrants; and Manitoba third, with only 78,789. The largest immigration into Alberta from the United States came in 1909-10, and numbered 34,563; the smallest in 1918-19, numbered 5,613.

"The total population of Alberta in 1916 was given officially at 496,525.

"The British immigrants during the 13 years since the Province was organized, was 73,082, and other than British 40,282, making a total of 113,364, as compared with 275,093 immigrants of American nationality. The predominance of the American immigrant over all other nationalities is nearly 70 per cent. Assuming that the proportion of immigrants from the United States residing in Alberta prior to the organization of the province was about the some as is now existing, the total American population in Alberta today is probably 325,000 out of the entire 496,525 population, or about 65 per cent. Of course, hundreds of Americans have taken up government land and become naturalized, and many hundreds of immigrants have left the United States before they have completed their naturalization there. But the predominance of Americans in Alberta is very marked and this predominance has a directing influence upon trade with the United States.

The following official statement shows the total immigrants from the British Isles, United States and from other countries, whose destination in Canada was Manitoba, Saskatchewan, or Alberta, from July 1st, 1905, to August 31, 1918:

From British Isles, Manitoba, 139,966; Saskatchewan, 71,333; Alberta, 73,082; total, 284,381.

From United States: Manitoba, 78,789; Sask., 226,330; Alberta, 275,093; total, 580,212.

Other countries: Manitoba, 111,634; Sask., 49,883; Alberta, 40,282; total, 201,799.

Total immigration: Manitoba, 330,389; Sask., 347,546; Alberta 388,457; grand total of 1,066,392.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY ORANGE LODGE

DEAL WITH SEPARATE SCHOOLS, SOLE USE OF ENGLISH IN THE SCHOOLS AND OTHER MATTERS

The following resolutions were submitted and passed at the afternoon session of the Grand Orange Lodge of Alberta:

That this Provincial Grand Orange Lodge for Alberta places itself on record as being strongly opposed to the separate school system, and urgently appeals to the provincial legislature of Alberta to enact legislation to abolish without delay all separate schools within the said province.

That in the interests of a united Canada urgent representations be made to the federal and provincial governments, so far as their respective jurisdictions are concerned, (1) to enact legislation whereby the English language shall be the sole medium of instruction in every grade of every school under government control, and (2) to enforce the existing law of the land so that within the province of Alberta the English language only shall be read officially on any public form or document, or in any public office, school or assembly.

That the government of this Dominion be strongly urged to enact legislation preventing the immigration of persons from alien enemy countries or of such extraction, for a period of twenty years and further, to deport all such aliens now in Canada unless they furnish ample proof of loyalty to the Dominion and willingness to fight for the land of their adoption, and further, to prosecute, punish effectively and permanently disfranchise all defaulters under the Military Service Act.

That we recommend that proper legislation be passed by the federal parliament and by such provincial legislatures as have no statute, having for its purpose the introduction of the initiative and referendum throughout the Dominion of Canada.

That the government of the Dominion of Canada be urged to remove the censorship in all cases except where a distinct menace to the stability of the realm or the preservation of the national life is disclosed and particularly to place no restrictions upon the expression of religious faith.

That this Grand Lodge desires to go on record as supporting any movement whereby returned men may be properly reinstated in civil life and is further prepared to support to the utmost any scheme whereby such men may be satisfactorily compensated for the hardship they have undergone.

That we urge upon the provincial government the necessity for enacting legislation for the purpose of having open to public inspection by competent inspectors all institutions for the education and general welfare of children and adults in the province in regard to matters of sanitation, fire protection, food and methods of education and discipline.

Rev. Mr. Woods, of Olds, gave information about Protestant Orphans Home at Olds, which work received the sympathy and assistance of the Grand Lodge.

The reports of the standing committees were also received. In view of the important program initiated for the coming year as outlined in the Grand Master's address, and resolutions adopted, it was decided to appoint a grand organizer for the coming year and that the Grand Master be requested to give his entire time to the work of organization and education of public opinion.

GOOD PROPOSITION FOR RETURNED MEN

LAND SETTLEMENT SCHEME SHOULD RESULT IN PLACING LARGE NUMBER ON FARMS

The Grain Growers' Guide strongly commends the soldier land settlement proposals, and thinks if wisely administered they should succeed in placing a large number of returned soldiers upon the land under the most favorable circumstances. The Guide adds:

"Soldiers desiring to locate in each province will be examined by a qualification board as to their fitness for farming. A returned soldier who has previously had good farming experience will have one of the best opportunities ever afforded to a settler going upon the land. This settlement scheme is very generous, and in that very generosity there is a great danger that the soldier may not plan as wisely as farmers have to do in order to make a success of their industry. The farming industry only permits of success generally through the greatest industry and frugality, and the future will find it harder than ever for a farmer to strike a proper balance at the end of the year. In addition to this generous financial treatment, the soldier settlers should be given every assistance in the way of practical advice and information. This is where their farmer neighbours and the local grain growers' association can render the greatest aid to their new neighbours. It is at once a privilege and an obligation to render service to those men who have rendered service to us greater than can ever be repaid."

MARCH ROD AND GUN

Rod and Gun for March contains a photographic reproduction of Mr. F. V. Williams, Rod and Gun's cover cut artist, and a short sketch of his life, stories by H. C. Haddon, Edward P. Martin, Aubrey Fullerton, H. Mortimer Batten and other well-known writers on out-door subjects. "The How of Casting" is explained by Robt. Page Lincoln in the Fishing Notes department, which also contains an article by O. Warren Smith, while in Guns and Ammunition Ashley A. Haines describes "Suitable Rifles for Deer Shooting" and Aviateur Canadian writes from experience on "Fighting in the Air." Rod and Gun is published at Woodstock, Ont., by W. J. Taylor, Limited.

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OLDS HAS ANOTHER BAD FIRE

Olds, March 20.—The town of Olds suffered its second disastrous fire in three weeks last night, when the business section again suffered loss to the extent of about $45,000. These two fires comprise the greatest loss the town has had in the past twenty years.

The fire last night, it is believed, started in the general store of H. G. McLean, which is a total loss. It is valued at $38,000, with insurance of about $20,000. The Bennet & Arksey butcher shop and the cold storage plant are also a total loss at about $5,000, with some insurance. A small residence, valued at about $500, was also burned. The fire was stopped short at the opera house.

REPORT COUNTER REVOLUTION IN PETROGRAD NOW.

London, March 20th.—There are unconfirmed reports that a revolution of the Menshiviki or moderate element of the Social Democratic party against the soviet government has broken out in Petrograd, according to a German government wireless dispatch received tonight.

LLOYD GEORGE WILL POSTPONE HIS RETURN.

Paris, March 19.—Premier Lloyd George, who was asked by President Wilson, Premier Clemenceau, and Premier Orlando, to postpone his return to London, has decided to remain in Paris until the draft of the treaty of peace is concluded. This announcement was made officially today.

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Keep the date open for Easter Bazaar in the Parish Hall on Easter Monday.

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Dr. and Mrs. Bates, of Lacombe, spent Sunday with Dr. Bonsall in Red Deer.

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Remember the opening concert of the Lyceum course, tomorrow evening, at 8.30 o'clock, in the Methodist Church,—the Beverly Entertainers.

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Tickets are selling rapidly for the Lyceum Course. Have you got yours? Telephone 278 and place your order.

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Charles Sinclair, secretary of the Great War Veterans' Association, has been appointed a commissioner for taking affidavits.

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J. C. Horton, of the Imperial Bank staff at Red Deer, has been appointed manager of the Sylvan Lake branch of the Bank opened in the Village lately.

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Mrs. G. N. Willan, of Erskine, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. F. Botsford, the past week. She was accompanied by her three little daughters.

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George Darlow, of Alix, was in the city last week. He had just completed the sale of his quarter section S.E. quarter 24-38-28, 2 miles west of Red Deer. John Comis was the purchaser.

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Ernest Willson received the sad news that his sister, Mrs. T. J. Finlay, of Rapid City, Man., had died a few days previously, leaving a husband and five children to mourn her death.

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The G.W.V.A., Red Deer local, have increased their membership since January 20th of this year to March 20th, by 52. To all returned men not yet members we extend a cordial invitation to join us, as unity means strength.

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Do not blame the management of the Lyceum course if you are asked $2.00 for a season ticket. Positively only 300 for sale at $1.50, and the sale is brisk. Get your ticket today as it is expected the 300 will be sold before the first concert begins tomorrow night.

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C. C. Wyman has purchased the garage business of Mayberry and Williams, Windsor Livery, and will conduct the same in future. Mr. Wyman has had a large experience in the business, having worked with Fred Lund, and having been connected with autos and tractors for some years.

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Mr. F. W. Bonsall, doctor of chiropractic, has taken rooms in the Gaetz Cornett Block, and intends to practise in the city from now on. He comes from Iowa, and as this word is practically new to Red Deer it will need some explanation, and all consultation will be free. Mrs. Bonsall is also a chiropractor, and will be here later on to help in the work.

The Beverly Entertainers tomorrow night.

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Mrs. Nicholson, of Bentley, was the guest of Mrs. H. F. Kenny last week.

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Guy Edgington, of Nordegg, has been home for a visit the past week.

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Capt. Mundy will conduct service at Burnt Lake this Sunday at 3 p.m.

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Mrs. Eley, who resides west of Ponoka, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thorn the past week.

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Miss Evelyn Strickland, who is attending the Garbutt Business College, came home for the week end, returning to Calgary on Monday.

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The monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Springbett, Second St. South, on Friday, March 28th, at 3.30 p.m.

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R. J. Taggart was a delegate from Red Deer Lodge to the meeting of the Grand Orange Lodge in Edmonton last week.

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Reeve George Blake of the Municipal district of Pine Lake, was in Calgary last week attending the municipal Hall Insurance organization meeting.

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Jonathan Lowes has purchased the farm of W. E. Medcalf in Springvale, consisting of three quarter sections of land. The Medcalf family will move to Delburne district.

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The Women's Missionary Society of Knox Presbyterian Church are having a ten cent tea and sale of cooking in the hall of the church on Friday, 28th, 3 to 6 o'clock. Come and bring your friends.

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The Parish Hall Committee had an extensive and most successful party on Wednesday evening, over one hundred sitting down to the card tables. The prizes for Five Hundred were won by Mrs. Eline, Miss E. Hamley, Mr. Waide and Mr. Clare Stone. The prizes for Bridge were won by Mrs. T. A. Gaetz, Mrs. Donald Smith, Mrs. A. T. Stephenson, and Mr. Aikman. Supper and an informal dance followed to wind up a jolly evening.

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The McFarlane Bros. sale in Springvale on Tuesday handled by Auctioneer White, brought very satisfactory prices. A 2800lb. team of geldings brought $375, the Angus bull from Mr. J. F. Day's herd, $195, sows $65 and $69, Calves at $40, hay $20 a ton in the stack. The sale ran nearly $5000 Mr. Sam Edwards has rented the farm. Mr. Wm. McFarlane will rejoin Mr. Crawford in Calgary, while Mr. Russell McFarlane will return to Belleville, Ont.

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J. W. W. SLACK,
Sec.-Treasurer,
Benalto, P.O.

March 19-3

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS.

In the Estate of ANDREW MAZUR, late of the Village of Nordegg, Coal Miner, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Andrew Mazur, who died on the 9th day of November, 1918, are required to file with the undersigned by the thirtieth day of April, 1919, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Public Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to its knowledge.

Dated this 20th day of March, 1919.

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Approved: "J. J. MAHAFFY," J.D.C. Mar. 26-3

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